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"But the former governors who were before me laid burdens on the people, and took from them bread and wine, besides forty shekels of silver. Yes, even their servants bore rule over the people, but I did not do so, because of the fear of God." (Nehemiah 5:15)

"Washington D.C. has for too long laid unacceptable burdens upon WE the People. It is long past time to fire them all and start over with true servant leaders." -- Dave





WE the People learned a lot about our current

government with the latest fight over funding ObamaCare and increasing our debt limit.

First, we learned that Barack Obama truly believes the American people are all low information voters. Regarding the debt limit, Obama let out this whopper:

"Now, this debt ceiling -- I just want to remind people in case you haven't been keeping up -- raising the debt ceiling, which has been done over a hundred times, does not increase our debt; it does not somehow promote profligacy."

Second, we learned that our congressional leaders are either ignorant of or indifferent to their enumerated

constitutional powers in the area of spending.

Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid and Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell deviously constructed a spending continuing resolution that funds the government and increases the debt limit. After its passing in the Senate, it was shoved done the eagerly awaiting baby bird throat of Speaker of the House John Boehner.

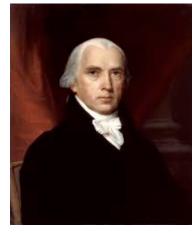
With the votes of compliant Democrats and RINOs (but I repeat myself), the House passed the bill and sent it to the throne of King Obama.

These actions have rendered the current House of Representatives irrelevant and powerless. Time for some House cleaning.

Please continue reading to find out why and how.

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## FROM THE FOUNDERS



Congress has passed legislation that not only did not originate from the House of Representatives as is constitutionally required, but they also have exempted themselves from the burden of such law.

"What is to restrain the House of Representatives from making legal discriminations in favor of themselves and a particular class of the society? I answer: the genius of the whole system; the nature of just and constitutional laws; and above all, the vigilant and manly spirit which actuates the people of America, a spirit which nourishes freedom, and in return is nourished by it. If this spirit shall ever be so far debased as to tolerate a law not obligatory on the legislature, as well as on the people, the people will be prepared to tolerate any thing but liberty." James Madison, <u>Federalist #57</u>

Senators Reid and McConnell came up with their own continuing resolution to fund the government and increase the debt limit. Speaker of the House Boehner should have rejected this bill outright as unconstitutional. Article I, Section 7 clearly states:

"All Bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives; but the Senate may propose or concur with Amendments as on other Bills."

Never mind Congress hasn't passed a budget in over 4 years, any spending bills must originate in the House of Representatives. If the Senate disagrees with the bill, they are empowered to offer amendments to the bill. The House and Senate can have a conference to come to an agreement on an appropriate bill.

The Senate, however, does not have the constitutional powers to originate any bills that create revenue for the government. This was done because the Senate represented the states and the House directly represent the people. Now they supposedly do both. Just one more reason to <u>repeal</u> the 17th Amendment.

## FROM THE PULPIT

"Friend, you cannot legislate the poor into freedom by legislating the wealthy out of freedom. And what one person receives without working for, another person must work for without receiving. The government can't give to anybody anything that the government does not first take from somebody. And when half of the people get the idea they don't have to work because the other half's going to take care of them, and when the other half get the idea it does no good to work because somebody's going to get what I work for. That, dear friend, is about the end of any nation." Dr. Adrian Rogers, 1984.

The 2010 Tea Party Revolution came about because WE the People were tired of how Congress, particularly through ObamaCare, was ruining our country's financial health. Three years later we are still tired and now fed up with the tea party turncoats.

Senators Kelly Ayotte (R-NH) and Ron Johnson (R-WI) voted for cloture and in reality voted for funding ObamaCare. They voted thusly thinking that if they voted against Harry Reid's amendment, they could hide behind their cloture vote. They voted for cloture knowing the Senate would continue funding for ObamaCare. That was the beginning of the end for Republicans and this fight. Senators Ayotte and Johnson failed to keep their promises to their voters and thusly they must be fired. There are no second chances on issues of such magnitude. They must never serve again at the national level.

The same goes for tea party turncoats in the House. Reps. David Camp (R-MI), Shelley Moore Capito (R-WV), Tom Cole (R-OK), Reid Ribble (R-WI), and Lee Terry (R-NE). Of course each of the 87 House and 27 Republicans who <u>voted</u> for the continuing resolution funding ObamaCare need to be fired.

King David knew intimately what it meant to be betrayed and pursued by his adversaries:

"Save me, O God, by Your name, and vindicate me by Your strength. Hear my prayer, O God; give ear to the words of my mouth. For strangers have risen up against me, and oppressors have sought after my life; they have not set God before them." (Psalm 54:1-3)

Like David we need to cry out to God for vindication and that He would set only godly men and women in Congress. But we must do more than pray, even though prayer is very important. We must become more actively involved in the process of picking our representatives. Please turn the page for a brand new initiative from Th Truth Watch.org.

## TO THE STREETS

WE the People must take back the reins of power. So how do we accomplish such a seemingly daunting task? From the bottom up. As K. Carl Smith says, "The cavalry isn't coming!" We must be our own army. I'm revealing to you my Truth Watch members an initiative the Lord has just shown me. It will be hard work, but with the caliber of people I am recruiting, none are adverse to hard work. Here's the plan:

- The recruiting pool will consist of only Truth Watch members. You will need to join The Truth Watch so that you can receive this newsletter. All must embrace The Truth Watch mission and The Truth Watch covenant. Both will be available within the next few days. Additionally, only those who embrace the biblical and historical traditions of our nation will be recruited.
- 2. They are 435 congressional districts in the United States. I am looking for "district generals" who will conduct Truth Watch operations in their district. This will include recruiting "county commanders" who will assist in assuring only godly, principled candidates run for office.
- 3. Each county commander will recruit (with the aid of the district generals) precinct captains that will have street sentinels who will be on the look out for those neighbors who are Christian patriots that desire to see our nation return to its traditional values.

Having solid Christian patriots voting in each congressional district will not only get the right man or woman in the House of Representatives, but also if we network our districts throughout each state, we can elect the same caliber people to the Senate.

We can also do this at the state level which will take even less coordination. If we we want to change the face of politics in Washington DC and the state houses across America, then we are going to have to be change agents through the ballot box. The brilliance of our Founding Fathers and the documents they left us with is that we would never again have to face armed conflict, using bullets to change our government. All we have to do is pull the lever on the ballot box and choose those representatives that embrace our biblical and historical principles.

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