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"If you see the oppression of the poor, and the violent perversion of justice and righteousness in a province, do not marvel at the matter; for high official watches over high official, and higher officials are over them." (Ecclesiastes 5:8)

"Barack Obama believes he is above the law and that the US Constitution does not apply to him. If Congress does not rein him in through their constitutional powers, then he'll be proven right." –Dave





WE the People have lost our representation in Congress. Barack

Obama knows this better than we do. How do I know this? He is brazenly defying Congress to act against his tyranny. He is rightfully confident that they will not.

In his most outlandish display of chutzpah to date (because I expect more from him), Obama told Senate Democrats that he will act with or without Congress' authorization. Get a load of these words:

"We are not just going to be waiting for legislation in order to make sure that we're providing Americans the kind of help that they need. I've got a pen, and I've got a phone. And I can use that pen to sign executive orders and take executive actions and administrative actions that move the ball forward in helping to make sure our kids are getting the best education possible, making sure that our businesses are getting the kind of support and

help they need to grow and advance, to make sure that people are getting the skills that they need to get those jobs that our businesses are creating." (See video here)

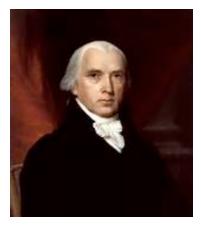
I thought it important for you to read and hear Obama's words in totality. Be sure to watch the video at the link above. His delivery is so arrogant and narcissistic that he almost passes as coherent.

What is incoherent to me is how lame Congressional Republicans are. Speaker of the House John Boehner rebutted Obama's outrageous comments with his usual weak and milquetoast response:

"I would remind the president he also has a Constitution and an oath of office that he took where he swore to faithfully execute the laws of our country."

Really? After five years of shredding our Constitution, does Boehner really believe Obama abides by his oath of office?

## FROM THE FOUNDERS



One would have thought that all the hype of Barack Obama would have evaporated after his first term. Along with a flawed opponent, the fullness of Obama's tyranny had yet to manifest itself until now. Our Founders established the separation of powers for just such a man as Barack Obama.

"There are particular moments in public affairs when the people, stimulated by some irregular passion, or some illicit advantage, or misled by the artful misrepresentations of interested men, may call for measures which they themselves will afterwards be the most ready to lament and condemn." James Madison, Federalist #63

I am at a loss to imagine what Obama could do to have Congress rein in his ongoing coup d'etat over our Constitution. The Senate is held by a majority of lemming-like Democrats and a "go along to get along" minority of Republicans. Obviously if Senate Republicans do try to act, such as Ted Cruz, Mike Lee, Rand Paul, and Marco Rubio, of course Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid will not allow any measure to come to a vote.

However, Republicans do have a large majority in the House of Representatives. Nevertheless, they are led by spineless leaders such as John Boehner and Eric Cantor. I cannot imagine either two of them allowing articles of impeachment to come to the House floor for a vote. Of course the Senate would never convict Barack Obama or any of his administrative minions, but this is one measure Harry Reid could not stop. An impeachment trial would have to be conducted, with Chief Justice of the Supreme Court John Roberts presiding in the case of a presidential impeachment.

The Constitution gives Congress the power to end Obama's tyranny immediately should they so choose to act. As I said in my "Unshackled" column, we no longer have representation in Congress. What we have is a ruling class that believes in government rule over liberty. There is only one remedy to stop this:

We must throw the bums out!

## FROM THE PULPIT

"For one person alone to have the Government of a people in his hands, would be too great a Temptation. It tends to excite and draw forth the Pride of man, to make him unsufferably haughty; it gives him too much liberty to exert his corruptions and it encourages him to become a Tyrant and an oppressor, to dispense with Laws and break the most solemn oaths." Pastor John Barnard, "The Presence of Great God in the Assembly of Political Rulers" sermon, Boston, 1746.

Pastor Barnard clearly had a man such as Barack Obama in mind when he preached his sermon 268 years ago. I wonder if the good pastor could have imagined a group of men and women such as is our current Congress to be complicit in aiding and abetting "a Tyrant and an oppressor" such as Barack Obama.

Obama has for the last five years, with an increased vengeance since the passing of ObamaCare, been dispensing "with Laws" and breaking his "most solemn oaths." The man currently occupying the White House has a complete disregard for We the People.

Pastor Barnard used Psalm 82:1 has the source verse for his sermon:

"God stands in the congregation of the mighty; He judges among the gods."

Some Bible versions renders "gods" as "rulers." Commenting on Psalm 82, Matthew Henry wrote:

Magistrates are the mighty in authority for the public good. Magistrates are the ministers of God's providence, for keeping up order and peace, and particularly in punishing evil-doers, and protecting those that do well. Good princes and good judges, who mean well, are under Divine direction; and bad ones, who mean ill, are under Divine restraint. The authority of God is to be submitted to, in those governors whom his providence places over us. But when justice is turned from what is right, no good can be expected. The evil actions of public persons are public mischiefs.

The whole of Psalm 82 is a plea for justice and it ends with this verse:

"Arise, O God, judge the earth; for You shall inherit all nations." (Psalm 82:8)

Not only should Barack Obama heed the warnings of the psalmist, but also should anyone in government who violate their oaths of office.

## TO THE STREETS

NOTE: I've reprinted (with a couple of updates) a previous "To The Streets" because it is just as vital as when I first published it.

To stop the current slide towards tyranny that Obama and Congress have us on, WE the People must take back the reins of power. We must compellingly, continuously, and contentiously, if need be, remind the members of Congress that they answer to us. They do not answer to their own evil desires, edacious powerbrokers, or even political leaders. WE the People hired them and we can fire them. So here are some steps to take to send this reminder:

- 1. Get to know the workers in the local office of your Congressman and Senator.
- 2. Do not underestimate the power of calling and emailing your representatives. Recently on the Rush Limbaugh Show, Senator Ted Cruz <u>encouraged</u> Rush's listeners to "pick up the phone and call your Senator and call your House member." When Rush asked Sen. Cruz if this really worked, he answered, "It works tremendously. It is amazing what the grassroots can do." Do not allow the media or politicians to get you to believe this is out of our hands.
- 3. Consider starting a block/precinct town hall group to get together one a month to discuss important political issues. It's important to know what your neighbors are thinking on the issues. You never know, you just may be able to convert some of them. More importantly, you'll be able to counter the lies with which the press and Washington elites are trying to confuse us. Also check to see if you have any local tea party groups.
- 4. Please consider joining the National Federation of Republican Assemblies. Our organization is dedicated to hunting down RINOs and returning the Republican Party back to its Reagan Conservative roots. Many states already have chapters and if not, then we'll be glad to help you start one.

I believe our time is short in our nation. We must return back to the Judeo-Christian principles upon which our nation was founded. That begins with you and me, first in our lives, and then demanding it from those who represent us.

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