

VOTING 2020

Unless you live under a rock or in a cave, you know that there is a presidential election soon upon us. Many say, and I agree, that this election is the most important of our lifetime to date, as will be the next and the next, until the Left is utterly defeated.

Following are two excerpts from sources I trust that describe basic principles as you decide how to vote. I used to try to distinguish between Democrats and Leftists, the political party vs. the group of destructive ideologues. No longer. Democrats have fully allied themselves with the Left, haters of America, its founding, its God, and us and our chosen leader, Donald Trump.

If you hope for there to be any kind of decent future for your kids, grandkids, etc., you must NOT vote for ANY Democrat, no matter how good they sound. They are of their father, the devil, who himself is the father of lies, so you cannot trust anything they say. Sorry, but it's true! From Dennis Prager, Townhall, 10/6/2020:

Voting for any Democrat -- whether for mayor, district attorney, state legislature, state governor, the U.S. House of Representatives, the U.S. Senate or president -- is to vote for someone who will enable the left to destroy America as we know it. (That is their wording, not only mine.) The Democratic Party was once largely liberal. But today, it is left, and the left readily acknowledges it wishes to "transform" America, which means to destroy America as we have known it.

To vote for any Democrat is to vote for the party that believes America is "systemically racist," that it is rotten to the core, vile from its inception (in 1619, they claim, not 1776).

To vote for any Democrat is to vote for the party that will renew the Obama agreement with one of America's and the civilized world's greatest enemies, the Islamic Republic of Iran.

It is to vote for undoing every economic policy that led America to its greatest economic boom in memory.

It is to vote for Kamala Harris, the most left-wing member of the U.S. Senate, for vice president (and, given Biden's age and

health, perhaps soon president).

It is to vote for the party that wants to allow millions more illegal immigrants into America and grant them benefits heretofore reserved for Americans. Democrats don't use the words "open borders," but they support this country-wrecking policy.

It is to vote for the party that supports the Green New Deal, or something very close to it, which will further ruin an economy already in ruins from Democrat-supported lockdowns.

It is to vote for the party that seeks to nationalize American health care ("Medicare for All"). It is to vote for the party whose mayors, governors and district attorneys allow violent riots and seek to "defund" police, a policy even most blacks oppose.

It is to vote for the party that supports the unprecedented suppression of free speech by Big Tech and universities.

It is to vote for the party that insists that men menstruate and that biological men must be allowed to compete against biological women in sports, no matter how often the biological men defeat them.

It is to vote for the party with the only anti-Semites, not to mention Israel-haters, in Congress.

It is to vote for the party that, for the first time in American history, openly identifies with socialism more than with capitalism.

It is to vote for the party that Big Pharma, big corporations and radical teachers unions support.

From Sam Clark, quoting Pierre Loomis on Steynonline website:

That moment when someone says, "I can't believe you would vote for Trump." I simply reply: "I'm not voting for Trump."

- I'm voting for the First Amendment and freedom of speech.
- I'm voting for the Second Amendment and my right to defend my life and my family.
- I'm voting for the next Supreme Court Justice(s) to protect the Constitution as written and the Bill of Rights.
- I'm voting for the continued growth of my retirement 401K

and the stock market.

- I'm voting for a return of our troops from foreign countries and the end to America's involvement in foreign conflicts.
- I'm voting for the Electoral College & the Republic we live in.
- I'm voting for the Police to be respected once again and to ensure Law & Order.
- I'm voting for the continued appointment of Federal Judges who respect the Constitution and the Bill of Rights.
- I'm voting for our jobs to remain in America and not be outsourced all over again to China, Mexico and other foreign countries.
- I'm voting for secure borders and legal immigration.

- I'm voting for the Military & the Veterans who fought for this Country to give the American people their freedoms.
- I'm voting for the unborn babies that have a right to live.

• I'm voting for continued peace progress in the middle east.

- I'm voting to fight against human/child trafficking.
- I'm voting for Freedom of Religion.
- I'm voting for the American Flag that is disrespected by the Democratic Party.
- I'm voting for the right to speak my opinion and not be censored.
- I'm not just voting for one person, I'm voting for the future of my Country.
- I'm voting for my children and my grandchildren to ensure their freedoms and their future.

Regarding the propositions, Kathryn made a helpful summary of the propositions in the righthand column below. In summary, vote NO on every proposition except 20 and 22. All of the others serve the purposes of the California Leftists, the worst of the worst in Left-ville. Also, she included measures K and J. Those are important, also.

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MR. TOAD'S WILD RIDE

The year was 1955, and yes, I was alive in 1955, and in fact, I was 6 years old. (Now you know how OLD I really am. I don't feel OLD. I'm 39 forever, just like Jack Benny was!)

So what was so special about 1955? Our family went to Disneyland! I have fairly clear memories of that visit, when Disneyland was



still simple, clean, and free of the political and cultural overtones that the current company represents. Walt Disney was alive and involved, and as wonderful an image of healthy entertainment for kids, both young and grownup, as you could imagine.

Not too long ago, I realized that that trip to Disneyland in 1955 was when it had just opened (July 17), according to the almighty, all-knowing, all-trustworthy (hahaha-hahaha!) internet. So we were there at the very beginning, and that following winter, we moved to Edmonton, Alberta, Canada where I felt so cool because, well, it's cold up there. Uh, no, sorry for the cheesy humor, I felt cool because I had Mickey Mouse ears that the Canadian kids could only envy!

Back to Disneyland. I refuse to go there nowadays, because it's ridiculously expensive, and because I consider the modern Disney to be part of the cultural rot coming out of the entertainment industry. My rant aside, 1955 was all innocence. From that time I remember the teacup ride, Dumbo, the Carousel and Sleeping Beauty's Castle, and Frontierland and the Mike Fink riverboats. And Tomorrowland, with the Monsanto house of the future. I don't believe there was a Matterhorn or an Abe Lincoln or a New Orleans at that time.

The one ride that sticks in my mind was Mr. Toad's Wild Ride, where we all piled in a little car which took us on a short, bumpy, scary ride. We passed big wooden crates that were about to fall on our

heads and all sorts of characters that reached out to get us. The car jerked and swerved as it drove around the obstacles, throwing us all over the place. And my clearest memory: the bumpy ride as the car drove on railroad tracks, right into a bright headlight of an oncoming train!

Of course that was all in fun, and even at age six, I knew not to be afraid. But think about it now.

Don't you feel like we are on Mr. Toad's Wild Ride everywhere these days? We are driving faster and faster just to keep up with

everything coming at us, ducking and weaving to avoid falling debris, hoping not to get hit with anything serious. And at the end is that bright headlight coming at us -- this election, the aftermath, the unknown after Trump is reelected, or not (God forbid!).

Some might ask if that light is a locomotive headlight or the other end of the tunnel. Who knows? My only remedy, as you may know already, is to trust in the one true Light, God Himself, and let the ugly stuff pass by, or if it ends my life on this earth, I still have life with God eternally to look forward to!

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