

Eye on the World

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Luke 21:34-36—“But take heed to yourselves, lest your souls be weighed down with self-indulgence, and drunkenness, or the anxieties of this life, and that day come on you suddenly, like a falling trap; for it will come on all dwellers on the face of the whole earth. But beware of slumbering; and every moment pray that you may be fully strengthened to escape from all these coming evils, and to take your stand in the presence of the Son of Man” (Weymouth New Testament).



“Eye on the World” comment: Due to a hectic travel schedule, this week’s edition was completed on Thursday and will contain less headlines than usual.



“Eye on the World” comment: An article by Charley Reese titled “545 People Are Responsible for the Mess, but They Unite in a Common Con” was posted orlandosentinel.com on Feb. 3, 1984. Through the years, many versions have been posted. In some of the later versions, Mr. Reese updated some names and facts to keep his subject current. In some of the updated versions, information not written by Reese himself was tacked onto the beginning or end of those articles. Mr. Reese died on May 21, 2013. Below is a version of the article posted on March 7, 1995.



An article by Charley Reese titled “Looking for Someone to Blame? Congress Is a Good Place to Start” was posted at orlandosentinel.com on March 7, 1995. (His original version of the article was posted on Feb. 3, 1984.) Following is the 1995 article.

Politicians, as I have often said, are the only people in the world who create problems and then campaign against them.

Everything on the Republican contract is a problem created by Congress.

- Too much bureaucracy? Blame Congress.
- Too many rules? Blame Congress.
- Too many unjust laws? Congress wrote them.
- Out-of-control bureaucracy? Congress authorizes everything bureaucracies do.
- Americans dying in Third World rat holes on stupid U.N. missions? Congress allows it.
- The annual deficits? Congress votes for them.
- The \$4 trillion plus debt? Congress created it.

To put it into perspective, just remember that 100 percent of the power of the federal government comes from the U.S. Constitution. If it's not in the Constitution, it's not authorized.

Then, read your Constitution.

All 100 percent of the power of the federal government is invested solely in 545 individual human beings. That's all. Of 260 million Americans, only 545 of them wield 100 percent of the power of the federal government.

- 435 members of the U.S. House
- 100 senators
- 1 president
- 9 Supreme Court justices

Anything involving government that is wrong is 100 percent their fault.

I exclude the vice president because constitutionally he has no power except to preside over the Senate and to vote only in the case of a tie.

I exclude the Federal Reserve because Congress created it and all its power is power Congress delegated to it and could withdraw anytime it chooses to do so.

In fact, all the power exercised by the 3 million or so other federal employees is power delegated from the 545.

- All bureaucracies are created by Congress or by executive order of the president.
- All are financed and staffed by Congress.
- All enforce laws passed by Congress.
- All operate under procedures authorized by Congress.

That's why all complaints and protests should be properly directed at Congress – not at the individual agencies.

- You don't like the IRS? Go see Congress.
- You think the Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms agency is running amok? Go see Congress.

Congress is the originator of all government problems and is also the only remedy available. That's why, of course, politicians go to such extraordinary lengths and employ world-class sophistry to make you think they are not responsible.

Anytime a congressman pretends to be outraged by something a federal bureaucrat does, he is in fact engaging in one big massive con job.

No federal employee can act at all, except to enforce laws passed by Congress and to employ procedures authorized by Congress either explicitly or implicitly.

Partisans on both sides like to blame presidents for deficits, but all deficits are congressional deficits.

The president may (by custom) recommend a budget, but carries no legal weight. Only Congress is authorized by the Constitution to authorize and appropriate and to levy taxes. That's what the federal budget consists of – expenditures authorized, funds appropriated and taxes levied.

Both Democrats and Republicans mislead the public. For 40 years, Democrats had majorities and could have (at any time) balanced the budget – if they had chosen to do so.

Republicans now have majorities and could (if they choose) pass a balanced budget this year.

Every president (Democrat or Republican) could have vetoed appropriations bills that did not make up a balanced budget. Every president could have recommended a balanced budget. None has done either.

We have annual deficits and a huge federal debt, because that's what majorities in Congress and presidents in the White House wanted. We have troops in various Third World rat holes, because Congress and the president want them there.

Don't be conned. Don't let them escape responsibility. We simply have to sort through 260 million people until we find 545 who will act responsibly.



A press release titled "At USAID, Waste and Abuse Runs Deep" was posted at whitehouse.gov on Feb. 3, 2025. Following is the press release.

For decades, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) has been unaccountable to taxpayers as it funnels massive sums of money to the ridiculous – and, in many cases, malicious – pet projects of entrenched bureaucrats, with next-to-no oversight.

Here are only a few examples of the WASTE and Abuse:

- \$15 million to “advance diversity equity and inclusion in Serbia’s workplaces and business communities.”
- \$70,000 for production of a “DEI musical” in Ireland.
- \$2.5 million for electric vehicles for Vietnam.
- \$47,000 for a “transgender opera” in Columbia.
- \$32,000 for a “transgender comic book” in Peru.
- \$2 million for sex changes and “LGBT activism” in Guatemala.
- \$6 million to fund tourism in Egypt.
- Hundreds of thousands of dollars for a non-profit linked to designated terrorist organizations – even AFTER an inspector general launched an investigation.
- Millions to EcoHealth Alliance – which was involved in research at the Wuhan lab.
- “Hundreds of thousands of meals that went to Al Qaeda-affiliated fighters in Syria.”
- Funding to print “personalized” contraceptives birth control devices in developing countries.
- Hundreds of millions of dollars to fund “irrigation canals, farming equipment, and even fertilizer used to support the unprecedented poppy cultivation and heroin production in Afghanistan,” benefiting the Taliban.

This list literally goes on and on – and it has all been happening for decades.

Under President Trump, the waste, fraud, and abuse ENDS NOW.



An article by John Loftus titled “Trump Flirts With Poison Pill [Occupying Gaza] That Could Destroy His MAGA Agenda – Opinion” was posted at dailycaller.com on Feb. 5, 2025. Following are excerpts of the article.

President Donald Trump is flirting with a poison pill that would ruin his America First, MAGA agenda.

Tuesday evening, Trump proposed the U.S. occupy Gaza in his joint press conference with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.

“The U.S. will take over the Gaza Strip, and we will do a job with it, too,” Trump declared. “We’ll own it and be responsible for dismantling all of the dangerous unexploded bombs and other weapons on the site. Level the site and get rid of the destroyed buildings. Level it out. Create an economic development that will supply unlimited numbers of jobs and housing for people of the area.”

The day of his inauguration, Trump the businessman described Gaza as if it were a prime slice of real estate ripe for development.

Well, Trump says a lot of things that never come to fruition. It's possible, even likely, that he is saying something absurd as a litmus test to shake things up and freak out the media before he pursues a more pragmatic strategy. Maybe he thinks his bold proposal can be used as a bargaining chip somewhere down the line.

That being said, the very idea of illegally claiming ownership of Gaza is as farcical as it is insidious – and it deserves to be shot down and ridiculed.

The 2 million Palestinians living in Gaza do not want to leave, and other countries in the Middle East do not want to take them in. How would the U.S. go about removing and housing 2 million Palestinians?

It's logistically impossible without sending in masses and masses of U.S. troops, spending trillions of dollars, and coordinating with regional powers who would not want to play ball, to say nothing of how evil it is.

- Trump is flirting with a bona fide poison pill, a foreign policy disaster.
- It is like George W. Bush, that would do irreparable damage to his agenda – Bush 3.0.
- The Bush Junta.
- It's Iraq-War level bad.
- Afghanistan-level bad.
- A reprehensible boondoggle.
- A complete waste of blood and treasure.
- Trillions more in debt.
- Countless innocent lives lost, Americans and Palestinians.
- If only we could get another shot at nation-building.
- It will work this time, so long as we send enough troops and drop enough bombs.

But Trump was not elected to be Bush 3.0. He was not elected to entangle the United States in more endless foreign wars and invade another country. He was not elected to send troops into the Middle East to die for Halliburton's stock price and Jared Kushner's dream real estate deal.

He was elected to put America First. And in order to put America First, Trump must resist the temptation of intervention, lest he risk another two decades of death and debt.



An article by Alex Winston titled “Trump's Gaza Plan Isn't Meant to Work, but That's the Point – Comment” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025. Following are excerpts of the article.

On the face of it, Trump's plan for the U.S. to occupy Gaza is not remotely feasible, but that could all be part of the president's scheme.

U.S. President Donald Trump dropped a bombshell on Tuesday when he announced that the United States will take over the Gaza Strip for the foreseeable future.

With his declaration, the president has once thrown a diplomatic grenade into the Middle East conversation – not a particularly quiet region at the best of times and one beset by 15 months of war.

The proposal – one that envisions the U.S. developing Gaza, creating jobs, and turning it into an international hub – immediately triggered widespread backlash.

- The Palestinians see it as a veiled attempt at forced displacement.
- Israel remains cautious.
- Arab states (like Egypt and Jordan) swiftly rejected the idea.

On the face of it, the plan is not remotely feasible. The U.S. military occupying Gaza is a logistical and political nightmare. Some 20 years of experience in dealing with Iraq and Afghanistan will have taught the upper echelons in the Pentagon that Arab states would never publicly accept a mass Palestinian exodus onto their soil.

Even Israel, despite its frustration with Hamas, understands the consequences of such a move.

But here's the thing – Trump probably knows that, too. The president is not proposing a realistic strategy. He's making an opening bid in a negotiation.

This is Trumpian negotiation 101, lifted straight from his 1987 book (The Art of the Deal).

In his world, you start with an extreme demand – one that is so outrageous it shifts the boundaries of what was previously considered possible. Then, when the inevitable pushback comes, you negotiate down to something that (while far less extreme than your initial position) is still a big win. You aim for 100, knowing that landing at 50 is still a success.

Trump's track record in real estate and politics could suggest that his goal isn't to occupy Gaza – it's to force neighboring Arab nations (who have up until now dragged their feet) to take a more active role in solving the crisis. His assumption? That the shock of such a radical proposal will jolt Egypt, Jordan, and the Gulf states into stepping up in ways they have so far refused to do.

For decades, Arab nations have loudly supported the Palestinian cause, but they have done little to materially improve the situation in Gaza beyond funneling money to Hamas.

- Egypt, which once ruled Gaza, keeps its border tightly sealed, building barriers that make Israel's security walls look lenient by comparison.

- Jordan, already home to a massive Palestinian population, wants no part of an influx from Gaza.
- Meanwhile, wealthy Gulf states (despite their enormous resources) have largely avoided offering Palestinian refugees permanent resettlement or serious infrastructure investments in Gaza.

By throwing out a seemingly preposterous plan, Trump may be forcing these countries to react – if only to reject his idea and propose an alternative.

Suddenly, discussions (about how to rebuild Gaza, who will govern it, and where displaced Palestinians might go) shift from a vague, open-ended conversation to one with real stakes.

- To be clear: The chances of the U.S. taking over Gaza are close to zero. The idea is riddled with insurmountable obstacles.
- The key to his thinking is not the literal implementation of his words, but their ability to reframe the debate. He doesn't need to “win” the Gaza issue outright – he just needs to move the goal posts. By aiming for an impossible maximum, the president makes the previously unthinkable suddenly seem reasonable.

A few weeks ago, the idea of Egypt or Jordan taking a bigger role in post-war Gaza was off the table. Now, it may start looking like the moderate alternative.

- This is classic Trump deal-making.
- Let everyone panic.
- Then walk it back to something that (while less dramatic) still represents real movement in his direction.
- Will Trump's declaration change the conversation and possibly push Arab nations into doing more? That's the real deal.



“Eye on the World” comment: The following headlines involve articles that are considered international. The articles were not posted, but the headlines give the essence of the story.

USAID

- A press release titled “At USAID, Waste and Abuse Runs Deep” was posted at

whitehouse.gov on Feb. 3, 2025.

- An article by Ellen Knickmeyer titled “Trump and Musk Move to Dismantle USAID, Igniting Battle With Democratic Lawmakers” was posted at apnews.com on Feb. 3, 2025.
- A press release announcing “On Friday, February 7, 2025, at 11:59 pm (EST), all USAID direct hire personnel will be placed on administrative leave globally, with the exception of designated personnel responsible for mission-critical functions, core leadership and specially designated programs” was posted at usaid.gov.
- An article by Caitlin McFall titled “White House Flags Top USAID Boondoggles Under Elon Musk’s Microscope” was posted at foxnews.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Wendell Husebo titled “Trump Freezes Millions in USAID Funds for Foreign Media, Triggering Globalist Outrage” was posted at Breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Remembering October 7

- An article by Caitlin Doombos titled “Secret Hamas Documents Reveal Torture, Execution of Gay Terrorists – While Some Male October 7 Israeli Victims Were Raped in Captivity” was posted at nyPost.com on Feb. 4, 2025.

Hostage news

- An article by David Brinn titled “ ‘Trying’ Is Not Enough; We Must Keep All Eyes on the Hostages Prize – Comment” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Eve Young titled “ ‘Hamas Wouldn’t Let Him Open His Eyes’ – Brother of Freed Hostage Keith Siegel Says” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Shosh Bedrosian titled “ ‘Our Fight Is Not Over’ – Families of Hostages Determined to Get Loved Ones Out in Phase Two” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Amichai Stein titled “Three Male Hostages Expected for Saturday Release, Cease-Fire Negotiations to Continue” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Israel – continues their retaliation

- An article by Yonah Jeremy Bob titled “Israel Finishes Testing 22 Technologies for Stopping Drone Attacks” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Trump proposes Gaza takeover

- An article by Ronny Reyes titled “70% of Gaza Buildings Have Been Damaged or Destroyed by War – as Trump Floats U.S. Takeover and Rebuilding of Palestinian Territory” was

posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

- An article by Nick Gilbertson titled “White House: U.S. Involvement in Rebuilding Effort Does Not Mean Commitment of Troops or Taxpayer Dollars to Gaza” was posted at Breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Diana Glebova titled “Trump ‘Expects’ Arab Countries to ‘Step Up’ and Accept Palestinians From Gaza Strip; White House Says” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by John Hayward titled “Saudi Foreign Ministry Objects to Trump’s Gaza Plan” was posted at Breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by John Hayward titled “China Defends Hamas, Condemns Trump’s Gaza Takeover Proposal” was posted at Breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Anna Young titled “Netanyahu Praises Trump’s Gaza Strip Takeover Plan, Encourages Palestinian Relocation: ‘Will Create a Different Future for Everyone’ ” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Netanyahu Offers Support to Trump’s Plan to Displace Palestinians in Gaza” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “ ‘Resist the Displacement’: Hamas Calls on Arab Factions to Unite After Trump Gazan Relocation Plan” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Anti-Semitism – international

- An article by Michael Starr titled “Australian Man Charged for Calling Organization and Making Anti-Semitic Comments” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Anat Vidor titled “Anti-Semites Condemn Trump’s Relocation Plan in Refusal to Accept the State of Israel – Opinion” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

More articles – Jerusalem Post

- An article by Staff titled “Wars and Conflicts Lead to the Biggest Innovations, Says Ibx Investors CEO Justin Borus” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Amir Bohbot titled “Shin Bet Foils Bomb Attack on Jerusalem Bus Planned by Ramallah Terror Cell” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Hezbollah Ties Exposed: Hind Rajab Foundation Linked to Terrorist Funding Network” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

- An article by Rizik Alabi titled “Syrian Army Advances Into Lebanese Territory, Clashes With Hezbollah” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Seth J. Frantzman titled “Is the U.S. Planning to Withdraw Troops From Syria? – Analysis” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Iran

- An article by Ronny Reyes titled “Iran Building North Korean-Designed Nuclear Missiles Capable of Hitting Europe” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 3, 2025.

Saudi Arabia

- An article by Amichai Stein titled “Netanyahu May Concede on West Bank Annexation, Favoring Saudi Arabia Peace Deal” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Russia-Ukraine war

- An article by Staff titled “Ukraine Says It Has Struck Major Russian Oil Refinery for Second Time in Three Days” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 3, 2025.
- An article by Oliver JJ Lane titled “Zelensky Says Ukraine Needs Nuclear Weapons If No NATO Membership on the Table” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Reminder – Ukraine’s reputation of corruption

- Looking back to February 2015, an article titled “Welcome to Ukraine, the Most Corrupt Nation in Europe” was posted at theguardian.com on Feb. 6, 2015.
- Looking back to July 2024, an article by Anchal Vohra titled “Ukraine Is Still Too Corrupt to Join the West” was posted at foreignpolicy.com on July 29, 2024.
- An article by Maria Popova titled “Is Ukraine Too Corrupt to Join the EU?” was posted at journalofdemocracy.org in December 2024.

Comments about China – general

- An article by Taryn Pedler titled “China Is Preparing for WW-3 With the World’s Largest Military Command Center 10 Times Bigger Than the Pentagon Featured Nuke-Proof Bunker for President Xi and Communist Elite” was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Stephen W. Mosher titled “From Panama to Greenland – All of Trump’s Problems Lead to China” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 1, 2025.

Comments about China and Taiwan

- An article by Staff titled “China Is Infiltrating Taiwan’s Armed Forces” was posted at economist.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

World Health Organization

- An article by Emily Kopp titled “WHO Bent the Knee to China, Now It Could ‘Collapse’ With U.S.” was posted at dailycaller.com on Feb. 1, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Following Trump, Argentina Withdraws From World Health Organization” was posted at aljazeera.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Hungary Floats WHO Withdrawal After Trump and Milei Exits” was posted at politico.eu on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation 2025” was posted at who.int on Feb. 6, 2025.

Reminders – China talks climate change, but produces coal

- Looking back to November 2023, a Reuters article by Colleen Howe and Ella Cao titled “In China’s Coal Country, Full Steam Ahead With New Power Plants Despite Climate Pledges” was posted at reuters.com on Nov. 30, 2023.
- Looking back to December 2023, an article by Seth Borenstein titled “World Carbon Dioxide Emissions Increase Again, Driven by China, India and Aviation” was posted at apnews.com on Dec. 4, 2023.

JK Rowling – strong against the transgender tide

- An article by Marc Tamasco titled “JK Rowling Mocks the Left After Trump Signs ‘No Man in Women’s Sports’ Executive Order” was posted at foxnews.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Earthquake in Greece

- An article by Staff titled “Earthquakes Keep Rattling Greece’s Volcanic Island of Santorini Every Few Minutes” was posted at apnews.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Helena Smith titled “State of Emergency Declared on Santorini After Earthquakes Shake Island” was posted at theguardian.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Yoav Itiel titled “Israel Ready for Possibility It Could Face Tsunami Amid Earthquakes in Greece” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

International reactions – to Trump’s bold approach

- An article by Jason Hopkins titled “Mexico Caves, Deploys 10,000 Troops to Border in Exchange for Trump Pausing Tariffs” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 3, 2025.
- An article by Rich Lowry titled “Panama Caved on the Canal After Trump Channeled Teddy Roosevelt and Ronald Reagan” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by London Mion titled “China Responds With Tariffs on U.S. Goods After Trump’s Tariffs on Chinese Imports Take Effect” was posted at [foxbusiness.com](https://www.foxbusiness.com) on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Amy Hawkins titled “China Has Reacted in Kind to Trump’s Tariffs, but a Deal May Still Emerge” was posted at [theguardian.com](https://www.theguardian.com) on Feb. 4, 2025.
- A Reuters article by Staff titled “Trump in No Hurry to Talk to Xi Amid New Tariff War” was posted at [reuters.com](https://www.reuters.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Sarah Shamim titled “Could Canada Really Stop Oil Flow to the U.S. in Response to Trump Tariffs?” was posted at [aljazeera.com](https://www.aljazeera.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

International news – miscellaneous

- An article by Chris Harris titled “Trump Unleashes Bold Airstrikes on ISIS Leaders Hiding in Somalia – With ‘Multiple Operatives’ Being Killed” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on Feb. 1, 2025.
- An article by Hank Berrien titled “Secretary of State Rubio Won’t Attend G20 Summit in South Africa, Cites Country’s Leftist Priorities” was posted at [dailywire.com](https://www.dailywire.com) on Feb. 6, 2025.



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Liberals – complain about tariffs

- An article by Jack Hellner titled “Democrats Weep Crocodile Tears About Tariffs, but Ignore How Taxes, Regulations and Government Spending Raise Costs” was posted at [americanthinker.com](https://www.americanthinker.com) on Jan. 31, 2025.

Milei explains that tariffs temporarily hurt host citizens

- Looking back to March 2024, a video titled “Javier Milei [Explains] How Import Tariffs [Temporarily] Weaken the Economy and Your Wallet” was posted at [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com) on March 12,

2024.

- A video titled “Tariffs Might Cause Short-Term Pain, but Also Long-Term Gain – Detroit Auto Shop Repair Shop Owner Says” was posted at apnews.com on Feb. 4, 2025.

Censorship

- An article by Staff titled “Uncut ‘60 Minutes’ Kamala Harris Interview Reveals ‘Word Salad’ Responses Were Heavily Edited by CBS – Snipped Israel Answer to Just 20 Words” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Breccan F. Thies titled “New Video Shows CBS Deceptively Edited Kamala Harris Interview During 2024 Campaign [CBS Showing Only Her Most Coherent Moments, While Shielding the American People From Her Meandering Responses]” was posted at thefederalist.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Joseph MacKinnon titled “Trump Says Raw Footage of Kamala Harris’ ‘60 Minutes’ Interview Proves ‘Election Interference’ ” was posted at theblaze.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Comparing popularity – between Trump and Schumer

- An article by Rob Crilly titled “Trump Is at His Most Popular in Polls After Whirlwind Start to Second Term” was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Feb. 4, 2025.
- A press release titled “Transcript: Leader Schumer Delivers Remarks at Press Conference to Push Conference to Push Legislation Fighting Back Against the Dangerous Far-Right Actions of the Trump Administration” was posted at democrats.senate.gov on Feb. 4, 2025.
- A video titled “Chuck Schumer Launches Campaign Against Elon Musk and DOGE” was posted at youtube.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Hanna Panreck titled “[Comedian] Jon Stewart Asks Democrats to Stop ‘Trotting Schumer Out’ to Counter Trump After Avocado, Beer Responses to Tariffs” was posted at foxnews.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Harold Hutchison titled “Former Clinton Pollster [Doug Schoen] Warns Democrats That ‘Scaring People’ During Trump Term [Is a] Losing Strategy” was posted at dailycaller.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Illegal immigration – Venezuelan Gang (Tren De Aragua)

- An article by Jennie Taer titled “ICE Raids Target 100 Tren De Aragua Gangbangers in Aurora, Colorado – Months After Governor Claimed They Didn’t Exist” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Illegal immigration – ICE is seeking to protect citizen and to save children

- An article by Andrea Widburg titled “As Democrats Engage in Performative Weeping, Illegal Immigration’s Real Victims Celebrate the Round-Ups” was posted at americanthinker.com on Jan. 29, 2025.

Illegal immigration – Laken Riley Act

- An article by Katie Jerkovich titled “Laken Riley’s Mother Gives Tearful Remarks After Trump Signs Law Named for Late Daughter” was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 29, 2025.

Illegal immigration – Guantanamo Bay, Cuba

- A video and an article by Leif Le Mahieu titled “WATCH: U.S. Military Drops Off First Flight of ‘High Priority’ Illegal Immigrants at GITMO” were posted at dailywire.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Jennie Taer and Chris Nesi titled “Second Group of Migrant Criminals (Including One Tren De Aragua Killer) Sent to Guantanamo Bay” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Illegal immigration – recognize those helping illegal immigrants avoid ICE

- An article by Mariane Angela titled “ ‘Nobody Is Above the Law’: Kristi Noem Vows to Pursue Sanctuary City Mayors Who Thwart Federal Authority” was posted at dailycaller.com on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Sarah Arnold titled “Illinois Democrats to Allow Illegals to Change Their Names to Evade ICE” was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Steven Nelson titled “Attorney General Pam Bondi Orders DOJ to Pause All Funding for Sanctuary Cities” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Illegal immigration – Tom Homan

- An article by Pam Key titled “Homan: ‘We Will Seek Prosecution’ of Any Mayor or Governor Who Impedes Deportations” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Illegal immigration – general comments

- A video by Sky News Australia titled “MSNBC Hosts [Joy Reid and Nicolle Wallace] Compare Trump’s Deportation Plans to the Holocaust and Hitler’s Germany” was posted at youtube.com on Jan. 28, 2025.

- An article by Christian K. Caruzo titled “Columbia’s Socialist President [Gustavo Petro], Humbled by Trump, Tells Illegals to Come Home” was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Neil Munro titled “Secretary of State Marco Rubio Wins Big Migrant Deportation Deal With Guatemala” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Obstructionist Democrats

- An article by Cassidy Morrison titled “Revealed: Biden’s Deep State Plot to Sabotage RFK Jr.’s Radical Reforms [Approving the Appointments of 8 Pro-Vaccine Candidates to the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, Called ACIP – a Critical Committee That Is Influential in Setting America’s Immunization Policies]” was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 31, 2025.

Heritage Foundation – financial evaluation

- An article by Ireland Owens titled “Heritage Foundation Says: Congress Could Save Untold Billions If It Cuts Out the Budget ‘Gimmicks’ ” was posted at dailycaller.com on Jan. 31, 2025.

Some Democrats threaten violence – declare war over DOGE

- An article by Staff titled “[Editor-in-Chief] Alex Marlow: The Democrat ‘Resistance’ Calls for Violence, Declare ‘War’ Over DOGE” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

DOGE – Department of Government Efficiency

- An article by Hannah Knudsen titled “DOGE Announces Termination of 20 Consulting Contracts, Saving Taxpayers \$26 Million” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 3, 2025.
- An article by Hannah Knudsen titled “DOGE: Consulting Contract Terminations Pile Up Saving Taxpayers Millions” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Sean Moran titled “Senator [DOGE Caucus Chair] Joni Ernest Details USAID’s ‘Anti-American Agenda’ in Letter to Secretary of State Rubio” was posted at breitbart.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Hailey Gomez titled “[Missouri Republican Senator Josh] Hawley Says ‘Liberals Are Losing Their Minds’ Over Exposing Government Waste, Calls Out Agency [the IRS] Trump Should Take Down Next” was posted at dailycaller.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Ryan King titled “Transportation Secretary Sean Duffy Fires Back at Hillary Clinton for Knocking DOGE: ‘Sit This One Out’ ” was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Trump's buyout plan of federal workers

- A Reuters article by Staff titled "Unions Sue to Block Federal Worker Buyout Plan as 20,000 Line Up to Quit" was posted at reuters.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled "More Than 40,000 Federal Workers Have Resigned [With Buyout] So Far, Short of Target" was posted at wsj.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- A Reuters article by Staff titled "Trump Administration Presses Government Workers to Accept Buyout Ahead of Deadline" was posted at reuters.com on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Sarah Ewall-Wice titled "Federal Judge Pauses Deadline for Trump 'Buyout' Offer to Federal Workers" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Feb. 6, 2025.

January 6

- An article by Victor Nava titled "FBI Provides the Trump Justice Department With Details About 5,000 Employees Who Worked January 6 Cases: Reports" was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Trump and DEI

- An article by Breck Dumas titled "Trump Leads a Pushback Against DEI, but These [5 Large] Companies Are Not Backing Down [Apple, Costco, Goldman Sachs, JPMorgan Chase and Microsoft]" was posted at foxbusiness.com on Jan. 31, 2025.

Pam Bondi – is chosen as Attorney General

- An article by Matt Vespa titled "Pam Bondi Confirmed as Attorney General [Rounding Out the Big 4 – Secretary of State Marco Rubio; Secretary of Defense Pete Hegseth and Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent]" was posted at townhall.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- A video titled "Pam Bondi Humiliates Adam Schiff to His Face in Congress" was posted at youtube.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Robert F. Kennedy Jr. – if they can't reject him, they will at least delay him

- An article by Editorial Board titled "RFK's Hearings Remove All Doubt: He's Not Fit to Lead a Key Federal Health Agency" was posted at nypost.com on Feb. 3, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled "RFK Jr. Appears on Track to Become U.S. Health Secretary as He Wins Key Republican Senator's [Bill Cassidy's] Support" was posted at wsaz.com on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Edith Olmsted titled "RFK Jr.'s Most Surprising Ally Is the LA Times

Owner – Here’s Why” was posted at newrepublic.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

Kash Patel – if they can’t reject him, they will at least delay him

- An article by Madeline Coggins titled “Adam Schiff Was an ‘Embarrassment’ During Kash Patel Hearing, Ex-Lawmaker [Devin Nunes] Says: ‘Clearly Has an Ax to Grind’ ” was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 30, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “[Senate Judiciary] Committee Vote on Kash Patel’s Nomination to Be FBI Director Delayed After Democrats Object [the Delay Will Likely Have No Bearing on Patel Ultimately Being Confirmed]” was posted at abcnews.com on Feb. 6, 2025.

Tulsi Gabbard – if they can’t reject her, they will at least delay her

- An article by Jordan Sekulow titled “Tulsi Gabbard: The Warrior We Need to Root Out the Deep State as Director of National Intelligence” was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Senate Committee Backs Tulsi Gabbard as Next Intelligence Chief” was posted at nbcnews.com on Feb. 4, 2025.

Adam Schiff is annoying – in the confirmation process

- A video titled “Adam Schiff Has Brought the ‘Circus’ to the Senate, Devin Nunes Says” was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 30, 2025.
- Looking back to January 2025, a video (showing Adam’s Schiff strongly criticizing Donald Trump in 2020) titled “Adam Schiff Receives Pre-Emptive Pardon From Joe Biden After Criticizing It in 2020” was posted at youtube.com on Jan. 20, 2025.
- Looking back to January 2025, an article by David Lightman titled “California’s Adam Schiff Gets a Last-Minute Pardon From President Joe Biden” was posted at sacbee.com on Jan. 20, 2025.
- Looking back to January 2025, an article by Bob Unruh titled “Video Resurfaces of Adam Schiff Saying Innocent People Don’t Get Pre-Emptive Pardons – He Just Received a Pre-Emptive Pardon” was posted at thelibertydaily.com on Jan. 21, 2025.

Examples of anti-Semitism

- An article by Michael Starr titled “Trump Anti-Semitism Task Force: U.S. to Review Four Medical Schools” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “New Bill Aims to Target Anti-Semitism in Nebraska Schools” was posted at jpost.com on Feb. 5, 2025.

- An article by Michael Starr titled “U.S. Court Convicts Founder of Neo-Nazi Group for Plot to Destroy Baltimore Power Grid” was posted at [jpost.com](https://www.jpost.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

Transgender – general comments

- An article by Reagan Reese titled “Trump Bans Biological Men From Women’s Sports With New Executive Order” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.
- An article titled “Tennis Legend Martina Navratilova Says She Hates ‘Democrats Totally Failed’ on Protecting Women’s Sports” was posted at [foxnews.com](https://www.foxnews.com) on Feb. 6, 2025.

Comments – about defunding the police

- Looking back to June 2020, an article by Paige Fernandez titled “Defunding the Police Will Actually Make Us Safer” was posted at [aclu.org](https://www.aclu.org) on June 11, 2020.

Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez – she makes wise comments, she makes foolish comments

- Looking back to January 2025, an article by Bibhu Pattnaik titled “AOC Says Democrats in Congress Are Doing Insider Trading: ‘People Think That Everyday People Are Stupid’ ” was posted at [benzinga.com](https://www.benzinga.com) on Jan. 25, 2025.
- An article by Ryan King titled “AOC Mocked After Calling Elon Musk ‘One of the Most Unintelligent Billionaires I Have Ever Met’ ” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on Feb. 4, 2025.
- An article by Hailey Gomez titled “Former Biden Campaign Official [Alencia Johnson] Thinks Solution to Democrat Woes Is to Trot Out AOC [and] Far-Left Representative [Texas Rep. Jasmine Crockett]” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

Corporate media

- Looking back to July 2024, an article by Russ Latino titled “They Lied: Mainstream Media Covered for Biden Until They Could Cover No More” was posted at [magnoliatribune.com](https://www.magnoliatribune.com) on July 1, 2024.
- An article by Alex Hammer titled “CNN and MSNBC Report Worst Rating Month Ever in Key Demographic [Ages 25-54] – While Fox News Enjoys Its Best” was posted at [dailymail.co.uk](https://www.dailymail.co.uk) on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Kristina Wong titled “Trump Pentagon Boots NBC, NYT, NPR, Politico to Make Room for New York Post, Breitbart News, OANN, Huffpost” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Nick Gilbertson titled “White House Confirms Millions of Taxpayer

Dollars Went to Politico” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

- An article by Robert McGreevy titled “U.S. Government Dropped Millions on DC’s Favorite Media Outlet [Politico] – Here’s What They Spent It On” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

MSNBC

- An article by Brad Slager titled “MSNBC Is Seen in Bed With the Democrats as the Ratings for Both Continue to Plummet” was posted at [townhall.com](https://www.townhall.com) on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Harold Hutchison titled “MSNBC Host [Ana Cabrera] Clings to ‘Plenty of Data Points’ to Prove DEI Makes Businesses ‘More Successful’ ” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Ariel Zilber titled “Andrea Mitchell to Leave MSNBC Anchor Chair This Friday After 17 Years” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on Feb. 5, 2025.

General interest

- An article by Staff titled “Flossing Cuts Stroke Risk by Up to 44 Percent” was posted at [newsmax.com](https://www.newsmax.com) on Jan. 31, 2025.
- An article by Paul Bois titled “Waffle House Adds 50-Cent Surcharge Per Egg Due to Bird Flu” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on Feb. 3, 2025.
- An article by Jason Walsh titled “Obamas Lose Major Donors as Legal Troubles Mount [Specifically a \$40 Million Lawsuit Filed Against Thornton Tomasetti, One of the Key Firms Involved in Constructing the Obama Presidential Center]” was posted at [dailymail.com](https://www.dailymail.com) on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Adam Pack titled “GOP Rep [Mike Collins of Georgia] Unveils Bill to Prevent ‘Left-Wing Lunatics’ From Holding U.S. Highways Hostage [by Criminalize Protests That Block Highways]” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 6, 2025.
- An article by Jaryn Crouson titled “[California] Democrat [Rep. Jared Huffman] Claims ‘Christian Prayer’ Should Not Be Allowed in Capitol, Protests National Prayer Breakfast” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on Feb. 6, 2025.



An article by Kurt Schlichter titled “Refuse to Let the Regime Media Make You Submit” was posted at [townhall.com](https://www.townhall.com) on Feb. 3, 2025. Following are excerpts of the article.



The primary debate weapon system employed by leftists and leftist-adjacent minions is not arguing the truth – it’s social coercion designed to get you to stop talking.

- It’s the idea that they can shame you into concurrence.
- It’s the idea that they can browbeat you into submission.
- But they can only do that with your cooperation.

I spent 30 years as a trial lawyer arguing with people, often very smart people who could present coherent and compelling cases based on facts, laws, and evidence. And then there were the times when I was facing an idiot who practiced out of a van down by the river. When their ridiculous case was being laughed out of court, they would proceed to pound on the table and bellow in outrage that I dared to point out that the emperor was not wearing any clothes.

As you stand up to advocate for America First, you are going to get this, too.

- They are not going to want to fight you on the facts.
- They lose on the facts.
- They are going to try to seize the faux moral high ground and dominate the argument by making it about how you’re a bad person and not how their ideology sucks.

You’ve got to understand that. When you do, you are liberated. You are free to ignore their puny blows and petty jibes and to counterattack mercilessly to leave them in a sputtering spasm of outrage. Leftists aren’t used to facing opposition. They are used to dominating through social coercion, so they’ve got nothing when they can’t flex that. They sit and sputter helplessly.

They will attempt to set the premises. They will enforce and defend those premises by calling you a racist and a bigot, and you are supposed to shut up and submit. But don’t.

- Refuse to be lectured to by these mediocrities.

To them, morality is simply a tool – a weapon system to be deployed against us to leverage the power they can’t get from actually proving something with evidence. This is why you have to reject the idea that they have any moral standing to address you at all.

They can’t shut us up anymore. They can try, but they’re going to fail.



An article by Duane Beckett titled “From Energy to Longevity: 10 Amazing Reasons to Start Your Day With a Healthy Breakfast” was posted at wellsquad.com on Jan. 31, 2025. Following are excerpts of the article.

1. Breakfast can boost energy levels.
2. Having breakfast helps establish healthier eating habits.
3. Breakfast can help maintain a healthy weight.
4. Breakfasts kickstart your metabolism.
5. Breakfast can help balance blood sugars.
6. Breakfast can reduce the risk of chronic diseases.
7. Healthy breakfasts help your brain's health, too.
8. A healthy breakfast can improve mood and reduce stress.
9. A healthy breakfast helps with digestion.
10. Giving your system what it needs in the morning supports your immune system.



Looking back to March 2024, a video titled “Joe Scarborough: ‘F-You If You Can’t Handle the Truth’ ” was posted at youtube.com on March 6, 2024. Following is an excerpt of the video.

Joe Scarborough said: “But I undersold him when I said he was cogent. He’s far beyond cogent. In fact, I think that he’s better than he’s ever been. Intellectually. Analytically. Because he’s been around for 50 years. And you know, I don’t know if people know this or not, [but] Biden used to be a hothead. Sometimes, that Irishman would get in front of the reasoning. Sometimes he would say things he didn’t want to say. This is – and, and, I don’t – you know what? I don’t really care. Start your tape right now, because I’m about to tell you the truth. And f-you if you can’t handle the truth. This version of Biden (intellectually, analytically) is the best Biden ever. Not a close second. And I’ve known him for years. The Brzezinkis have known him for 50 years. If it weren’t the truth, I wouldn’t say it.”



Isaiah 55:6-11–“Seek you the Lord while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, and He will have mercy on him; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon. ‘For My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways My ways,’ says the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts. For as the rain comes down, and the snow from heaven, and do not return there, but water the earth, and make it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall My word by that goes forth from My mouth; it shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish what I please, and it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it.”