

God or Money?

Who Do We Serve?



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Jesus Said This:

“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

“No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.

“Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes?

Matthew 6:19-25



America's Memories of God

This is the Marble Relief of Moses in the House of Representatives

- Netanyahu's speech concluded with a reference to this relief of Moses
- Speaker Pelosi's chair faces the relief. She sees Moses every day looking at her.



The Pledge
of Allegiance
Reminds Us That
We Are A Nation
Under God



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How "Under God" Was Added to the Pledge



Born in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1911, Rev George Docherty was brought to the United States in 1950 as pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, a historic church in Washington that Abraham Lincoln attended.

"I came from Scotland, where we said 'God save our gracious queen,' 'God save our gracious king,' " he told the Associated Press in 2004. "Here was the pledge of allegiance, and God wasn't in it at all."

Docherty preached about the need to insert "under God" into the pledge in February 1954, when President Dwight D. Eisenhower attended Docherty's service in honor of Lincoln's birthday.

"To omit the words 'under God' in the Pledge of Allegiance is to omit the definitive factor in the American way of life," Docherty said from the pulpit. He felt that "under God" was broad enough to include Jews and Muslims, but not atheists. "An atheistic American is a contradiction in terms," Docherty said in his sermon. "If you deny the Christian ethic, you fall short of the American ideal of life."

The week after his sermon, bills were introduced in Congress to add the phrase, and Eisenhower signed the act into law on Flag Day — June 14, 1954.



- If we ever cease to be a nation under God, we will be a nation gone under. Ronald Reagan
- In recent years, there have been multiple attempts to remove the phrase "Under God" from the pledge, but none have yet been successful.



Memories of God on Our Money

- Here is the ironic beauty of our national motto being placed on our money: every petty crook or corrupt politician who handles this money, must read that there is a higher power. Every communist, every pork barrel lobbyist and back room dealer must touch money made sacred by this motto.
- Now Washington would like to rid the nation, not only of the motto, but also of the very currency itself.



Other Countries Point Elsewhere

- Great Britain's 10 pound note points to Charles Darwin. Darwin does not endow the British with with inalienable rights. He is dead. He has no rights of his own, much less any to bestow on us.
- Great Britain still sings "God Save the Queen"

Memories of God In The “Star Spangled Banner”

- In 1814, the poet and lyricist Francis Scott Key penned the lyrics to “The Star-Spangled Banner,” originally known as “Defense of [Fort M’Henry](#).”
- During the War of 1812, Key witnessed the attacks on Baltimore and wrote the words based on his experiences this night. These lyrics were printed in local newspapers and set to the tune of an existing song called “Anacreon in Heaven,” and then officially arranged by John Philip Sousa.



The Unsung Fourth Verse

*O thus be it ever when freemen shall stand
Between their lov'd home and the war's desolation!
**Blest with vict'ry and peace may the heav'n rescued
land**
**Praise the power that hath made and preserv'd us a
nation!**
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
And this be our motto – "In God is our trust,"
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.*



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Socialists Say Money is the Solution

- According to modern socialists, the underlying problem to be solved is **the inequitable distribution of wealth which is the cause of social injustice**
- "The issue of wealth and income inequality is the great moral issue of our time, it is the great economic issue of our time, and it is the great political issue of our time."

Bernie Sanders - Website and Facebook

- **"Socialism borrows the compassionate aims of Christianity while rejecting the Christian expectation that this compassion not be coerced or forced."**

John Piper

Our Founders Believed "You Either Trust God or Money"

We are now entered into a bold experiment to see if the America can survive without God and the Bible at its foundation. We will need to trust our government's ability to create money.

The church is now viewed by many as worse than irrelevant. it is an impediment to them living their lives.

- Churches closed while casinos and supermarkets stayed open
- Transgender issues were highest priority for our new President
- Planned Parenthood gets their funding back
- 100 Day Plans
 - LGBTQ Plans
 - CAIR's Plans
 - The Squad's Plans



The Impact of Pushing God Out of Government

- Is it a coincidence that just a few months after the Supreme Court in 1963 outlawed prayer and Bible reading in schools that JFK was assassinated and the turmoil of the 60s ensued?
- Whether you accept that or not, how have the schools done since?
 - Los Angeles County is the largest school district in the country. Well over \$30k per student. Well over a 50% dropout rate among Blacks and Hispanics.
- Does money accomplish more than God? Would anyone claim the schools are better today than in 1963?



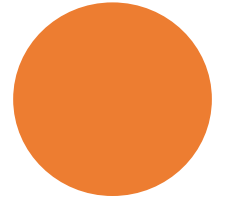


Who Do We Trust in a Crisis?

- After 911, we joined together and sang "God Bless America". And he did. No more attacks for 8 almost a decade
- What is the government plan to handle our most recent emergency? It is to take the current cyclical crisis and make the people turn to the government to bail them out. They want to scare you into accepting a massive government restructuring. Every dollar of that bailout shouts "in God We Trust" and not "In the government we trust."

Trusting Government Money Instead Of God

- **Because who will bail the government out?** The government has no money. **They have our money.** Do you have spare money to give to the government? I don't. And they are taking our money and redistributing it, rewarding cronies and ne'erdowells, lobbyists and insiders. Will you see any of the money? Just enough to keep you suckling at the dried out breast of government largesse.
- You see, they want you to **pray** to the government. Oh Mr. President, give me a job. Oh Mr. congressman, oh Mr. senator, please get those jobs back from China and India, oh please heal me, oh please bail me out of my personal debt on my college loans, oh please force my employer to keep me.



THE STATE IS NOT GOD

The God State

- And so we now have a state that wants to be God. We have a "god state". We have traded ten common sense commandments for thousands upon thousands of bureaucratic regulations.
- The only problem is: you need to be omnipotent to be God and the federal government does not have the power to pull it off. They will run out of money. And the massive amount of money they are borrowing and printing will enslave and indebt our children for generations to come. The inflation that will surely be here in a few years will decimate the nest eggs of the elderly and destroy the dreams of the young.
- The last so called stimulus has had so little effect that they are telling us we now need another one.



The Rich Will Pay! Or Will They?

- Tax code will become more progressive in the days ahead.
- “In the most advanced countries the following will be pretty generally applicable: there will be a heavy progressive or graduated income tax.” Karl Marx, in the Communist Manifesto.
- But if all the wealth from all the rich is taxed, it will only pay off a small portion of our national debt, much less our annual budget.



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Captain Midnight

- As scary as it got, you always knew that everything would turn out well.
 - Now, we just don't know.
- Replacing the foundation of a house while sparing the house is possible, but great risk.
- Replacing the foundation of country, has greater risk



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A Bag Full of Cedi



So What is Money Worth?



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Statement period: 2003-10-09 to 2003-11-06 Account No: 00005-123-456-7

Date	Description	Ref.	Withdrawals	Deposits	Balance
2003-10-08	Previous balance				0.55
2003-10-14	Payroll Deposit - HOTEL			694.81	695.36
2003-10-14	Web Bill Payment - MASTERCARD	9685	200.00		495.36
2003-10-16	ATM Withdrawal - INTERAC	3990	21.25		474.11
2003-10-16	Fees - Interac		1.50		472.61
2003-10-20	Interac Purchase - ELECTRONICS	1975	2.99		469.62
2003-10-21	Web Bill Payment - AMEX	3314	300.00		169.62
2003-10-22	ATM Withdrawal - FIRST BANK	0054	100.00		69.62
2003-10-23	Interac Purchase - SUPERMARKET	1559	29.08		40.54
2003-10-24	Interac Refund - ELECTRONICS	1975		2.99	43.53
2003-10-27	Telephone Bill Payment - VISA	2475	6.77		36.76
2003-10-28	Payroll Deposit - HOTEL			694.81	731.57
2003-10-30	Web Funds Transfer - From SAVINGS	2620		50.00	781.57
2003-11-03	Pre-Auth. Payment -				
2003-11-03	Cheque No. - 409				
2003-11-06	Mortgage Payment				

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How much is...

one bead of wampum?

one bitcoin?

one ounce of gold?

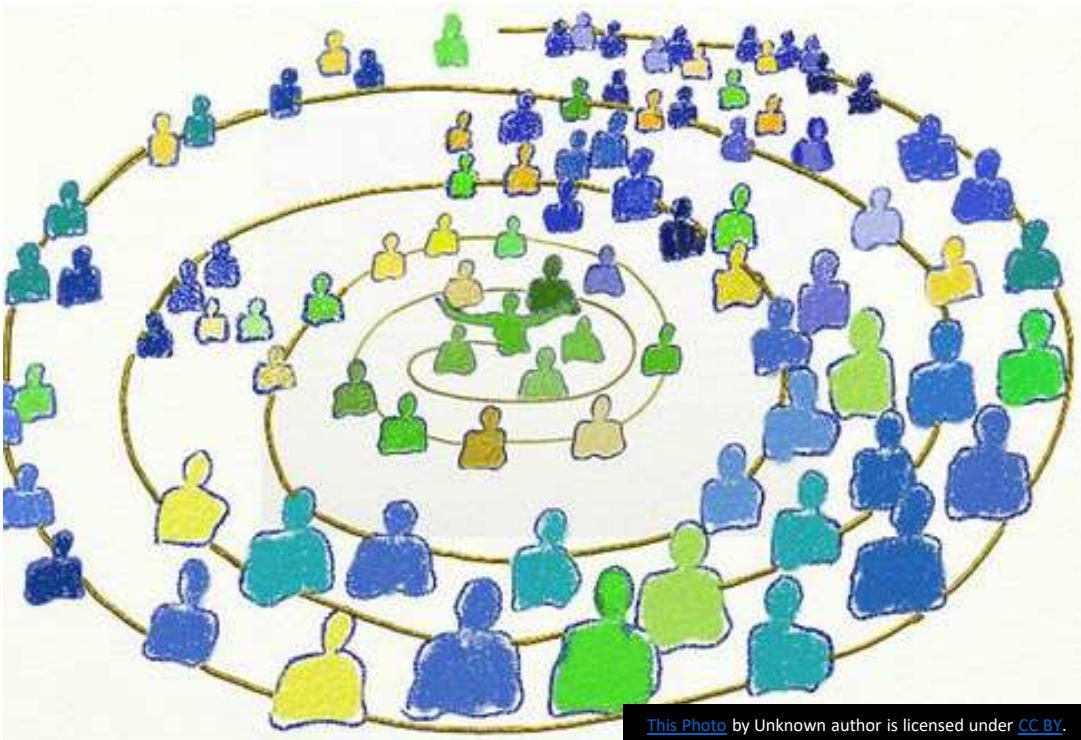
numbers online in you bank account

Value is Imputed. They have no intrinsic value.

Value only exists when you have Trust and

the integrity of networks,
software, and computers
the integrity of the
companies and politicians
who have control

Circles of Trust



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- Immediate Family
- Extended Family
- Friends
- Tribe
- Nation

World is cash based because of a lack of trust

- India demonetized getting so they could eliminate the black market and collect more taxes. Massive failure.
- In much of Africa, people can't get mortgages because nobody trusts them to pay. So they save up enough to buy land, then foundation, then house walls, then wall in the compound, add a gate.
- More fundamental, suppose they want to paint the house. Does the painter trust the homeowner or vice versa? Basic transactions of life become impossible as you move out of that circle of trust. USA has built this incredible circle of trust. Moral heritage. We easily trust. Integrity and honor are our heritage.





The Role of Credit

- Without mortgages, very little gets built.
- Without credit, America collapses. Federal debt is approaching 30 trillion dollars
- Ben Bernanke, credit is the life blood of our society.
- Basis of credit is trust. Word comes from Latin *credere* – to entrust.



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eCurrency is Founded on a Lack of Trust

- Bitcoin, Ethereum, et. al. = no trust in government
 - Completely unaffiliated with any country
- central bank digital currency (CBDC) = no trust in people
 - Tracks all money transactions
 - Should eliminate the black market
 - All taxes collected



Social Credit Scores

- Sen. Josh Hawley warned that the Chinese practice of using social credit scores is being imported to the United States as the newest form of an intensifying cancel culture.
- “Everyone knows what a credit score is. But social credit scores are new. They’re the latest corporate import from Communist China, where government and big business monitor every citizen’s social views and statements,” Hawley [said](#) in an op-ed in the *New York Post*.
- “And they’re the latest form of cancel culture in this country, as corporate monopolies and the left team up to shut down speech they don’t like and force their political agenda on America,” Hawley continued. “For those who still believe in free speech and the First Amendment, this is the time to take a stand.”

Evangelism Restores Trust



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- We live in a post Christian culture. Church is generally irrelevant. But when a person comes to Christ, they become part of the family.
- Expand the family to change the culture.
- One Greek word for church is kuriakous = "the family of the Lord".
- God uses family words in Bible like:
 - "Our Father"
 - "Brothers and sisters in Christ"
 - "Children of God"
 - "Sons of God"
- Families trust one another. It is a relationship of trust. Trust in the lord with all your heart. You can travel half way around world and meet a family member, a fellow Christian. Level of trust goes way up.
- USA once was a Christian nation.
 - Business done on a handshake. Marriage without pre-nuptial agreements



What Should We Do?

- We can protect our little stash, or we can determine this is the time that God has been preparing us for. And I can tell you, that at that time, who is a Christian will become very relevant in our society. Because we are to be ambassadors for Jesus Christ. We are the cities of refuge. The safe haven't.
- For too long Christians have song their songs separate from the rest of the world.
- Sanctification is the goal of Holy Spirit. Sanctified money included.
- I don't know what will happen, but I am excited about the future. Like Washington backed against the East River, we are about to see the power of God.
- It has been the activation of the average guy that God has used to change the world.