

## **America's Speech Impediment**

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The preamble of the U.S. Constitution says: "We the People of the United States, in Order to form a **more perfect Union**, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and **secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity**, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

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"Secure the Blessings of Liberty" was the power of the U.S. Constitution. From the beginning America's government has had a hypocrisy problem and speech impediment. At the time the U.S. Constitution was ratified in June 1788, slavery of Africans still ran deep in the veins of this country. The words of the U.S. Constitution only applied to those who were not under the oppression of slavery, but those who needed freedom the most at the time the US Constitution was written were those the U.S. enslaved. It was not until almost one hundred years later and after a lot of bloodshed during the Civil War that God's hand set the African slaves free.

Even though slavery was finally abolished, oppressive policies and politics were applied. The U.S. Constitution guaranteed its citizens the right to vote, but laws were put in place to exclude the majority of the former slaves from voting. It was not until 1965 that the posterity of former slaves were finally given the right the vote. The rights for the U.S. Constitution to apply to former slaves and its generations to follow were not given as a gift, but they and many others openly protested the oppression and the hypocrisy of the U.S. Constitution. It wasn't until the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 1965 that the great grand children of former African slaves were given more rights guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution, but it did not come without a struggle. This was one hundred years after the Emancipation Proclamation that finally made slavery illegal in this country in 1863 and almost two hundred since the U.S. Constitution was written.

We need to understand this history of U.S. constitutional hypocrisy and speech impediment. Notice for many years it did not fully apply to a minority of people. Today this document is under major attack. The freedom, US Constitution and Bill of Rights in America, is cracking and God's people need to wake up.

### **Revelation 12:12, 17**

12 .....Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.

17 And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.

In the last days Satan has all out war against the faithful remnant people of God. Over the years, he has empowered the beast (Papal Rome) and its agents to infiltrate the U.S. government and its judicial system.

**Remnant (Greek)** = remaining ones who explicitly believe and live by the Bible. They keep ALL the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus Christ. They will be the minority. Satan is working very hard to make the U.S. Constitution and its Bill of Rights null and void to the remnant people of God. His mission is to take away our rights with a goal of trying to stop us from spreading the Everlasting Gospel of the three angel's message around the world in its fullness.

### **Revelation 13:11-12**

11 And I beheld another beast coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb, and he spake as a dragon.

12 And he exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him, and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.

**Who is the lamb-like beast with two horns?** The United States of America

**What does the two horns represent?** The separation of church and state

The separation of church and state was guaranteed by the US Constitution and the Bill of Rights.

Remember, the U.S. Constitution is a document that addresses how the US government is suppose to operate. A system that is suppose to be “for the people by the people.”

The Bill of Rights are ten amendments to the U.S. Constitution that spell out the specific rights to its citizens. The First Amendments guarantees the separation of church and state, freedom of religion, freedom of the press, freedom of speech, and freedom to peacefully protest for grievances with the government.

The First Amendment says, “Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or **prohibiting the free exercise thereof**; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.”

**Redress means remedy or set right (an undesirable or unfair situation)**

In summary, the First Amendment guarantees five freedoms and rights

- Freedom of religion
- Freedom of speech
- Freedom of the press
- Freedom to peacefully assemble
- Freedom and right to petition the disagreements you have with the government

The freedom of religion is listed first. A true democracy cannot exist without it. History reveals that any monarch that merged church and state always oppressed the minority of people who disagreed with their government and doctrine of their religion. Papal Rome oppressed the Protestant Reformation for many years. They did all they could to stop and exterminate the Protestant Reformation.

Over the last few years the wall of separation of church and state has been torn down. When we see this, understand and know that the United States will speak as a Dragon. They will use their laws to cause and force the inhabitants of the earth to worship the beast.

**Revelation 13:13-17**

13 And he doeth great wonders, so that he maketh fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men,

- 14 And deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by *the means of* those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast; saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, and did live.
- 15 And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed.
- 16 And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads:
- 17 And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.

The lamb-like beast will get its inspiration from the dragon to form the image of the beast. The image of the beast are apostate protestants.

In Revelation 13:11 the lamb-like beast forces the earth to worship the beast. Notice in verse 15 that he uses the image of the beast to force others to worship the image of the beast. Many of God's remnant faithful will be martyred during this time. Those who submit to the force will be deceived. All the beast powers of Revelation 13 will make it appear that this enforcement is for the benefit of humanity in time of great world-wide crisis. They will make it appear that those who refuse to conform are causing the great calamities all over the earth. The remnant people of God will refuse to conform.

In verse 16, the lamb-like beast will see that killing the remnant will not be enough, but will also impose sanctions that will inhibit them from buying and selling because they refuse the mark of the beast.

Historically, many Christians have been blamed for calamities such as the burning of Rome at the time of Nero. Paul and many Christians were killed as a result. The major fire that burned for six days was started by Nero himself. Martin Luther and the Protestant Reformation was blamed for starting a Civil War in Germany. Many innocent reformers were killed by Papal Rome as a result. The same will be true at the end of time.

Today, America has a great speech impediment. The government in partnership with large corporations are hindering the freedom of speech, religion, and to petition the government in order to enforce "emergency measures" on all people in response to worldwide calamities.

It is becoming more and more evident that these freedoms that were guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution's Bill of Rights will NO LONGER apply to those who peacefully disagree and refuse to conform to their doctrines, beliefs, and policies. As in the past, the U.S. has constitutional hypocrites.

In the U.S. and around the world, big tech companies are monitoring the actions and speeches of those who use any of their apps or platforms. America has a great speech impediment. God's people must wake up. Satan is on a rampage against the Everlasting Gospel of the three angel's message. He is using these big tech companies to not only take away freedom but to disconnect the message of God from the masses. This is happening as we speak. This is very, very serious. We have spoken about this in the last few years. We knew it was coming. It is here. For the last month or two, many of the big tech social media platforms have been sending notifications about changes to their policies.

**Now they are beginning to enforce it.** (Show YT warning to us without going into details)

We are now in a position where God's people need to make major decisions through God's help as we go forward. Do we compromise the message in order to stay on these tech platform's or do we have a need to form our own? Things will never be the same again. There is no more time to delay and make excuses. Now means now. Things are going to get tighter against the message, but God's work must go forward.

Satan fears the loud cry message especially during the mark of the beast. He is trying to shut down all outlets and technologies from those who are giving the loud cry message. We must operate in faith. This is not the time to buckle or bend but to endure and go forward in faith.

Even though America has a speech impediment our speech of giving God's truth will not be impeded.

Satan is sending Sanballats and Tobiahs to try to stop the work of Nehemiah of repairing the breach of the Seventh-day Sabbath. Like Nehemiah we must reject them and not get distracted but become more focused and determined to finish the work that God has called us to do.

#### **Nehemiah 4:14-15**

- 14 And I looked, and rose up, and said unto the nobles, and to the rulers, and to the rest of the people, Be not ye afraid of them: remember the Lord, *which is* great and terrible, and fight for your brethren, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses.
- 15 And it came to pass, when our enemies heard that it was known unto us, and God had brought their counsel to nought, that we returned all of us to the wall, every one unto his work.

#### **Never forget God's promises in challenging times like these:**

#### **Psalms 1:1-6**

- 1 Blessed *is* the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.
- 2 But his delight *is* in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.
- 3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.
- 4 The ungodly *are* not so: but *are* like the chaff which the wind driveth away.
- 5 Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.
- 6 For the LORD knoweth the way of the righteous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

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