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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).



An article by Victor Davis Hanson titled "Why Putin Has Not Been Deterred" was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 27, 2022. Following is the article.

Americans want an autonomous Ukraine to survive. They hope the West can stop Russian President Vladimir Putin's strangulation of both Ukraine and NATO.

Yet Americans do not want their troops to venture across the world to Europe's backyard to fight nuclear Russia to ensure that Ukraine stays independent.

Most Americans oppose the notion that Russia can simply dictate the future of Ukraine.

Yet Americans also grudgingly accept that Ukraine was often historically part of Russia. During World War II, it was the bloody scene of joint Russian-Ukrainian sacrifices—over 5 million killed—to defeat the Nazi German invasion.

Americans publicly support NATO.

Yet most Americas privately worry that NATO has become diplomatically impotent and a military mirage—a modern League of Nations.

NATO members have a collective GDP seven times larger than Russia's. Their aggregate population is 1 billion. Yet the majority will not spend enough on defense to deter their weaker enemies.

The second-largest NATO member, Turkey, is closer to Russia than to the United States. Its people poll anti-American.

Germany is NATO's richest European member and the power behind the European Union. Yet Germany will soon be dependent on imported Russian natural gas for much of its energy needs.

In a recent Pew Research Center poll, 70 percent of Germans voiced a desire for more cooperation with Russia. Most Americans poll the exact opposite.

Worse, 60 percent of Germans oppose going to the aid of any NATO country in time of war. Over 70 percent of Germans term their relationship with the United States as "bad."

We can translate all these disturbing results in the following manner: The German and Turkish people like or trust Russia more than they do their own NATO patron, America.

They would not support participating in any NATO joint military effort against even an invading Russia—even, or especially, if spearheaded by an unpopular United States.

So, assume that NATO's key two members are either indifferent to the fate of nearby Ukraine or sympathetic to Russia's professed grievances—or both.

Indeed, most Americans fear that if Ukraine ever became a NATO member, Putin might be even more eager to test its sovereignty.

Putin assumes that not all NATO members would intervene to help an attacked Ukraine, as required by their mutual defense obligations under Article 5.

If they did not, Putin could then both absorb Ukraine and unravel the NATO alliance all at once.

There are more complications in the Ukrainian mess.

President Joe Biden, in wacky statements, has confirmed Putin's bet that the United States is currently divided, confused, weakened, and poorly led.

Putin knows that the secretary of defense and chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff appear more worried about "white privilege" and climate change than enhancing military readiness to deter enemies such as himself.

Putin sees polls that only 45 percent of Americans have confidence in their new politicized military.

The flight from Afghanistan, Putin further conjectures, has made the United States both less feared by enemies and less trusted by allies.

The prior failed American policy of Russian "reset," the appeasement of Putin's aggressions during the Obama years, together with the concocted hoax of "Russian collusion," have all variously emboldened—and angered—Putin.

He knows a twice-impeached Donald Trump left office unpopular. So, he assumes with Trump gone, American deterrence against Russia also vanished.

Trump's now rejected agenda was to increase American and NATO defenses, and pump oil and gas to crash the global price of Russia's chief source of foreign exchange.

Putin was once furious that Trump unilaterally left an asymmetrical U.S.-Russia missile accord. Trump ordered lethal force to be used against large numbers of Russian mercenaries who attacked a U.S. installation in Syria. He sold offensive weapons to Ukraine. He acted forcibly in taking out terrorist enemies such as Iran's General Qasem Soleimani, the Islamicist Abu al-Baghdadi, and ISIS itself.

With Putin's nemesis, Trump, gone, Russia assumes the appeasement years of the Obama-Biden Administration are back again. As in 2014, once more Putin is moving against his neighbors.

Finally, there is the unfortunate role of recent Ukrainian government officials. Some were deeply involved in greenlighting the Biden family grifting and profiteering to ensure massive American foreign aid.

Some Ukrainian expatriates and current government members worked with the American Left to ensure the first impeachment of Trump.

Now Ukrainians are exasperated that their prior intrusions into domestic American politics have backfired with the disastrous Biden presidency—and his apparent de facto acceptance of an inevitable Russian annexation.

Where does this entire mess leave America?

In trouble.

Putin is undermining a sovereign nation, fissuring NATO, and, if successful, might continue the Ukraine slow squeeze model in the Baltic states and elsewhere.

Meanwhile, China smiles, hoping the Ukraine blueprint can be used against Taiwan.

Exasperated Americans fear that Putin will be deterred neither by sanctions nor by arms sales but follows only his own sense of cost-to-benefit self-interest.

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A video and an article by Libby Emmons titled "Watch: Bill Gates Praises China for Their Great Work on Covid-19 in New Video Message" were posted at thepostmillennial.com on Jan. 24, 2022. Following is the article.

Bill Gates addressed the nation of China, praising their response to the coronavirus pandemic—which may well have begun in a Wuhan virology lab before leaking to the rest of the world.

In a brief video with Chinese subtitles marking the Lunar New Year, Gates praised China for their handling of the pandemic, saying that "China has worked hard to not only contain the virus, but also contributed to closing the equity gap by supporting other countries with many different supplies, including great vaccines."

"I want to wish everyone in China, a very Happy Lunar New Year. Just as the tiger symbolizes vitality and health, our Foundation has continued work over this past year," Gates began his message.

"The recent troubling, and highly contagious Omicron variant means the covid-19 pandemic is not yet over. Since the onset of the pandemic, China has worked hard to not only contain the virus, but also contributed to closing the equity gap by supporting other countries with many different supplies, including great vaccines," Gates said.

That the virus escaped from a lab in Wuhan, China, has been considered a "plausible" theory by many scientists. There have also been allegations that China covered up the initial reports of covid and did not work to contain the virus before it spread globally.

"I'm hopeful that by the end of this new year the covid pandemic will largely be over," Gates said.

"I was also thrilled to hear the news that in June, that the WHO recognized China's remarkable success in defeating malaria, declaring the country officially free from the disease," Gates said. The Gates Foundation has made a mission of combating malaria worldwide.

"So like many of you, I believe the world can become better. And I know innovation and collaboration are key to getting there. I look forward to once again being able to travel to China, to see all of you and this work, in person. But for now have a wonderful holiday and a very healthy and happy new year," Gates concluded.



An article by Akiko Fujita titled "Chinese Rare Earth Minerals Are 'A National Security Risk': Sen. Mark Kelly" was posted at finance.yahoo.com on Jan. 21, 2022. Following are excerpts of the article.

The Biden administration's push to reduce U.S. reliance on Chinese imports has renewed domestic efforts to produce rare earths minerals, critical to the production of electric vehicles and electronics.

A new bipartisan Senate bill is aiming to accelerate that timeline, by banning defense contractors from sourcing those materials in the first place.

In an interview with Yahoo Finance Live, the bill's co-sponsor Sen. Mark Kelly (D, AZ) called Chinese rare earth minerals "a national security risk" and urged the Pentagon to act quickly to eliminate the metals from military weapons systems.

"We've got to stop relying on Chinese rare earths in our defense industry. It's a national security risk to us. If China decided to cut us off on those rare earth minerals right now, this would have a serious impact on our national defense," Kelly said. "So, this requires that DOD and the Department of Interior work together to build a stockpile of rare earth minerals."

The bill marks the latest U.S. attempt to break China's near monopoly on a group of 17 metals that are crucial to the development of everything from smart electronic devices to wind turbines. The country controls nearly 80% of rare earths imports, according to data from the U.S. Geological Survey, while the U.S. claims just one rare earth mine and has no capability to process the minerals.

Last month, China moved to strengthen its hold on the market by consolidating key producers within a new conglomerate to double down on the development of mines in China.

Kelly's legislation, known as the Restoring Essential Energy and Security Holdings Onshore for Rare Earths Act of 2022, specifically calls for the U.S. Department of Defense and Interior to develop a strategic reserve of rare earths and products large enough to meet the needs of one year, by 2025. It also bans the use of Chinese metals in sensitive military systems by 2026, and requires defense contractors to track and disclose the origins of the metals used in equipment it delivers to the Pentagon.

"This sets the parameters, to put the United States in a position that we have to choose to do this. We build this stockpile, defense contractors will have access to it, and we will build the supply chain of rare earths that we need," Kelly said. "We don't want to continue to be in the situation where our adversary, could cut us off from things that we need for our national defense."



"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.

# **U.S. facing four threats**

■ An article by Morgan Phillips, Emily Goodin and Elizabeth Elkind titled "Foes Test Biden on Four Fronts: North Korea Launches Fifth Missile Test This Month, Iran-Backed Militia Attacks U.S. Base in UAE and U.S. Fleet Keeps China in Check as Putin Threatens to Invade Ukraine" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.

## **Comments about Russia and Ukraine**

- An article by Travis Tritten titled "U.S. Carrier to Lead NATO Exercise Amid Ukraine Invasion Fears" was posted at military.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Anna Berchchevskaya titled "Russia's Desert Storm: Putin's Plan to Use America's Military Playbook Against Ukraine?" was posted at 19fortyfive. com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- A Reuters article by Natalia Zinets titled "Ukraine Receives Second Batch of U.S. Weapons in Russian Stand-Off" was posted at reuters.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Staff titled "White House Source Says Biden May Send as Many as 10,000 Troops to Eastern Europe" was posted at cbs8.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Lorne Cook titled "NATO Outlines 'Deterrence' Plan as Tensions With Russia Soar" was posted at military.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by John Hayward titled "Biden Administration Again Rejects Ukraine's Call for Sanctions on Russia" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

- An article by Steven Nelson titled "Americans in Ukraine 'Should Leave Now'— No Evacuation in Works: White House" was posted at nypost.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Ryan Saavedra titled "Psaki: Biden Has No Plans for Using Military to Evacuate U.S. Citizens Out of Ukraine If Russia Invades" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Chris Pleasance titled "UK Begins Withdrawing Staff From Its Embassy in Ukraine After U.S. Ordered Its Staff to Leave Amid Warnings of Russian Invasion" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Patrick Goodenough titled "U.S. Troops on Alert: Carrier Strike Group Under NATO Command for 'the First Time Since the Cold War' " was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Frances Martel titled "Ukraine Says 'Destablization' Fueled by Biden Administration Hysteria, Not Russia" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Chris Pleasance and William Cole titled "Putin Moves His Elite Paratroopers to Ukrainian Border in Belarus in Yet Another Troop Build-Up Amid Invasion Fears—While US Sends Kiev 300 Lethal Javelin Anti-Tank Weapons and Warns Russia Is Planning to Go In by Mid-February" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Jack Newman and Will Stewart titled "Kiev Mayor Vitali Klitschko Brands New German Offer to Send 5,000 Helmets a 'Joke' and Asks 'What Will They Give Us Next, Pillows?' as the Nation Refuses to Give Ukraine Weapons" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### **Comments about China and Russia**

■ An article by Ian Hanchett titled "[Arkansas Republican Tom] Cotton: We Should Provide as Much Support to Taiwan as We Are to Ukraine, 'China Is a Bigger Threat Than Russia'" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

#### **Comments about China**

- An article Staff titled "China Launches 39 Aircraft Into Taiwan's Air Defense Zone One Day After the U.S. and Japan Put on Show of Naval Force in the Philippine Sea" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Gabrielle Reyes titled "Dozens of Chinese Aircraft Invade Taiwan Airspace as White House Distracted With Ukraine" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- article by Staff titled "Race to Beat China to Recover \$100 Million U.S. F-35 Stealth Fighter From Bottom of South China Sea After It Crash Landed on Aircraft Carrier USS Carl Vinson: Fears Secret Technology From America's Most Advanced Jet Could Fall Into Enemy Hands" was posted at dailymail.co. uk on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Elizabeth Elkind titled "China Might Claim Salvage Rights to Crashed U.S. F-35 Stealth Jet by Calling It an 'Environmental Hazard': U.S. Recovery Vessels Are Two Weeks Away From Crash Site in South China and Could Take Four Months to Retrieve It" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

- An article by Carys Anderson and Eddie Fu titled "Chinese Nationalists Call for Boycott of 'The Matrix Resurrections' [Movie] After Keanu Reeves Joins Tibet Benefit Concert" was posted at consequence.net on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Frances Martel titled "NBA Interrupts Wizards-Clippers Game With Chinese Ambassador [Qin Gang] Speech" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Comments about Olympics in China

■ An article by John Hayward titled "Beijing Locks Down More Neighborhoods as Genocide Olympics Staff Arrives" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

# Comments about globalist elites getting richer

■ An article by Trent Baker titled "[Peter] Schweizer: Biden Family Received 'Some \$31 Million' From Individuals Linked to 'Highest Levels of Chinese Intelligence'" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.

# Conflicting reports about the end of covid

- An article by Staff titled "Health Ministry [of Israel]: 4th Dose Triples Protection From Serious Illness for Over-60s" was posted at timesofisrael.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Deborah Brand titled "Quadruple-Vaxxed Israel Breaks World Record in Coronavirus Cases" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Cassidy Morrison titled "European Countries Rolling Back Covid-19 Restrictions" was posted at washingtonexaminer.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Carla K. Johnson titled "Hope Seen Once the Omicron Wave Increases Global Immunity" was posted at apnews.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Scott Morefield titled "More Media Gaslighting as Their Covid Narrative Falls Apart in South Africa" was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Heather Bair titled "Denmark to End Most Covid Restrictions and 'Welcome the Life We Knew Before' " was posted at newsweek.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Jon Kamp, Renee Onque and Margherita Stancati titled "Omicron Deaths in U.S. Exceed Delta's Peak as Covid-19 Optimism Rises in Europe" was posted at wsj.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### **Comments about Israel**

■ An article by Staff titled "New Jersey to Israel [United Airlines] Flight Turns Around After Israelis Sneak Into Business Class" was posted at jpost.com on Jan. 23, 2022.

#### **Comments about Iran**

■ An article by Elizabeth Elkind and Rob Crilly titled "'Biden Put National Security at Risk': GOP Lawmaker [Michael Waltz] Slams President After Three of His Team Negotiating With Iran on Nuclear Deal Resign Because U.S. Is Being Too Soft and Calls for Him to Revert to Trump's 'Maximum Pressure' Policy" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.

■ An article by Rob Crilly titled "Iran President Claims Putin Is Helping Him to 'Neutralize' U.S. Sanctions With Talks About Up to \$10 Billion of Trade After It Was Disclosed [That] Three U.S. Diplomats Negotiating Nuclear Deal Resigned Because Biden Is Too Soft" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### International covid news

- An article by Olivia Devereux-Evans and David Averre titled "Riot Police Blast Protesters With Water Cannon and Tear Gas As Thousands [50,000] March Through Brussels Demanding End to Tough Covid Rules as Omicron 'Tsunami' Hits Belgium With More Than 60,000 Cases a Day" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Jon Miltimore titled "'We Failed': Danish Newspaper [The Ekstra Bladet, Founded in 1904] Apologizes for Its Covid Coverage" was posted at fee.org on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Dillon Burroughs titled "Canadian Truckers Lead 'Freedom Convoy' to Ottawa to Protest Vaxx Mandate" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# **International immigration news**

- An article by Chris Tomlinson titled "Illegal Migrants Refusing Coronavirus Tests and Vaccines in Italy to Avoid Deportation" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Chris Tomlinson titled "Germany Joins France and UK to Tackle English Channel Migrant Smugglers" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

#### International miscellaneous news

- An article by Monica Raymunt and Christoph Rauwald titled "[Italian] Lamborghini to Bid Farewell to Pure Combustion Cars This Year" was posted at bloomberg.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Rachael Bunyan titled "Denmark, New Zealand and Finland Top List of Least Corrupt Nations While South Sudan Is the Worst; U.S. Drops Out of Top 25 Amid 'Continuous Attacks on Free and Fair Elections' " was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Dillon Burroughs titled "North Korea Launches Two Suspected Cruise Missiles in Fifth Launch This Month" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 25, 2022.



An article by Senator Marsha Blackburn titled "Big Abortion's Big Win Is a Warning for the Pro-Life Movement" was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 25, 2022. Following is the article.

By now, the thousands of activists who flooded Washington, D.C. last week to March for Life are used to the hazards of being pro-life in Joe Biden's America. Joining the fight to end abortion is emotionally exhausting, and in many cases, professionally risky. Still, the sacrifices pro-life advocates have made over the years have helped us achieve the impossible: we've won the

hearts and minds of people who on a normal day would rather suffer through a root canal than a political debate.

We have the momentum and the upper hand; but if we want to keep it, we have to adapt. For years, the pro-abortion movement has denied science in their quest to dehumanize unborn children; but now, radical activists are weaponizing medicine and popular technology against life.

The "abortion pill" narrative has always been the left's favorite normalization tool. Compared to surgical abortions, which pro-lifers have successfully exposed as brutally violent, popping the two pills required to complete a chemical abortion feels deceptively easy. Mainstream media outlets and liberal politicians have all provided cover for this supposedly low-risk procedure, but their selective reading of the risks has lulled thousands of women into believing these pills are safe. In reality, chemical abortions are just as traumatizing as surgical ones, and can be even more dangerous. Even the notoriously political FDA recognized this risk, and subjected the medication mifepristone—the life-ending component of a chemical abortion—to a Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS). Mifepristone shared this designation with only 61 other drugs, and in saner times was subjected to strict provider certification and in-person dispensation requirements.

During the heyday of the covid-19 pandemic, abortion advocates jumped on board the otherwise helpful telehealth and medication-by-mail trends and pushed the FDA to temporarily suspend the REMS and allow women to receive mifepristone without ever setting foot inside a doctor's office. The FDA justified this by claiming that in-person appointments were more dangerous for patients than the pills themselves, but their argument falls apart when you consider the risks that prompted the agency to impose the REMS to begin with.

The opportunistic play paid off. In December, the Biden administration made the temporary REMS suspension permanent, stripping away those once-important safety protections and blowing the door wide open to abortion on demand, without apology or a doctor visit.

It was a big win for Big Abortion, and a reminder to the rest of us that the pink knit trappings of anti-life politicking conceal a savvy and ruthless professional movement. Hearts and minds might be on our side, but the regulatory machine is not. The pandemic changed the way we think about the complicated balance of regulation, medicine, and technology, and the anti-lifers will continue to exploit this new openness to innovation, if we let them.

The fight for life is the fight for control over federal dollars, federal standards, and federal power. From a lawmaker's perspective, this means painstaking oversight over the flow of taxpayer money to abortion providers, and over the actions of regulators who prioritize politics over safety. From a citizen's perspective, it means shutting down activists and politicians who conflate women's rights with abortion rights.

This is about more than making the case against Roe-although the outcomes of blockbuster Supreme Court cases will prove to be important no matter who comes out on top. This is about leveraging the power of oversight at the state

and federal level to keep an eye on what's happening behind the scenes. Just think–President Biden pulled FDA oversight on a dangerous drug, specifically because advocates pitched that drug as a tool to take the drama out of the abortion procedure. Women's lives are at risk, but optics still reign supreme. Imagine what else his administration is capable of–and worse, willing to do–if it means appearing the unhinged left.

That should be all the motivation we need to keep marching.



An article by Maureen Riordan titled "We Don't Want the Justice Department Running Our Elections" was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 24, 2022. Following is the article.

President Biden and the Democrats in Congress continue their effort to pass legislation to federalize our elections. Most recently, they've taken a no holds barred approach in their attempt to pass The John Lewis Voting Rights and the Freedom to Vote Act, including an attempt to eliminate the filibuster. This legislation would entail a permanent federal takeover of elections and allow partisan bureaucrats tremendous power to approve or disapprove state voting procedures by resurrecting a Section of the Voting Rights Act declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court in 2013.

The return of this authority to the Department of Justice Voting Section should frighten everyone. I worked as an attorney in the Voting Rights Section for almost two decades. I witnessed the selective enforcement of the Voting Rights Act including the targeting of States and politicians that do not share their partisan ideological beliefs.

For example, during the 2000 Florida recount, I personally observed Voting Section staff discussing strategies to assist the Democrat Party while receiving and sending faxes to Democratic National Committee and campaign operatives.

Don't just take my word for the Department of Justice's misbehavior and abuses of Section 5. The Department has even been sanctioned by federal courts. Between 1993 and 2000, the Voting Section was sanctioned over \$2 million.

The John Lewis Voting Rights Bill will require all States and local jurisdictions to submit certain changes in voting procedures to the Voting Section for approval before these changes can be implemented, regardless of how insignificant the change may actually be. Such changes would include a change in polling locations from the high school gym to the high school cafeteria. A change in voter registration office location from the old town hall to the new town hall across the street. Annexations to towns and cities will also need to be submitted for approval. Congressional, statewide and all local redistricting plans will be required to get approval. This allows the partisan attorneys in the Voting Section to determine whether these plans become effective.

In Johnson v Miller, the DOJ's bad behavior in reviewing a redistricting plan was on full display. The State of Georgia had sought review of its Congres-

sional redistricting plan. The partisan bureaucrats at the Department denied approval not once but twice. During this time the DOJ made demands for racial quotas far beyond what the law requires. In its third attempt for approval, the State of Georgia caved and adopted a plan favored by the DOJ and prepared by attorneys from the ACLU.

But no good deed goes un-punished. The plan that the DOJ along with the ACLU forced upon the State of Georgia was struck down as unconstitutional. Why? Because the plan was strictly focused on race and violated the 14th Amendment. The United States District Court sanctioned the Voting Section \$594,000 for its collusive misconduct with attorneys from the ACLU during its review of the Georgia Congressional Plan.

This legislation would also ban photo identification laws, mandate same day registration, on-line voter registration, mail in voting, ballot trafficking (permitting campaign operatives to collect and control ballots) and felon voting. It also provides our tax dollars to fund political campaigns.

It essentially removes any authority from the States to set election procedures. It destroys the integrity of our elections.

The bottom line is we do not want the federal government and the bureaucrats at the Department of Justice running our elections.

This is a power that belongs to the states. This type of federal overreach into our elections is unconstitutional.



An article by Anna Giaritelli titled "DHS Begins Tracking Migrants Through Phones After Losing Track of 50,000" was posted at washingtonexaminer.com on Jan. 25, 2022. Following is the article.

The Biden administration has begun tracking all illegal immigrants released at the southern border into the United States, seeking to reverse course after losing track of nearly 50,000 migrants let go from Border Patrol custody under chaotic circumstances.

Starting in the fall, the Department of Homeland Security opted to conditionally allow noncitizens to leave through a process called parole, three people familiar with the federal immigration operation told the *Washington Examiner*. Under parole, migrants are still being discharged from Border Patrol facilities on the border, but their records have been digitally transferred to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, the federal agency responsible for tracking noncitizens within the country. Those released have also been outfitted with ankle monitors or have installed a phone app that allows authorities to keep tabs on them.

The Biden administration implemented the parole policy in an attempt to stop losing track of tens of thousands of migrants as it did by relying on them to check in with the government on their own.

Until early fall, the Biden administration released many from custody with documents known as notices to report—a document telling them to check in with ICE

once they reach their destination in the interior of the country. Of 100,000 released and told to report to ICE between mid-March and August, 47,000 failed to check in.

The administration had resorted to issuing notices to report as a last-ditch effort to more quickly process people in custody as illegal migration at the U.S.-Mexico border spiked. Issuing the documents allowed the Border Patrol to save time by not placing each person in court proceedings to ensure that they would appear before a judge for illegally crossing the border.

The new policy will make it easier for the government to track every person, a move that should mollify congressional Republican critics of the administration's reliance on notices to report. At the same time, it will allow the Biden administration to avoid placing migrants in detention, as has been a top goal for Secretary of Homeland Security Alejandro Mayorkas.

U.S. Customs and Border Protection "stopped issuing Notices to Report in November 2021 and has been working with ICE to ensure individuals released at the border are monitored under the Alternatives to Detention program," a DHS spokesman wrote in an email Friday.

The notices to report created a headache for the DHS because it was unable to track the 47,000 who did not follow up with ICE, and it had no idea where they had gone. The DHS stopped issuing notices to report in November, the spokesman said, but data released by CBP indicate this practice stopped in late September after so many people failed to check in.

What's worse, under the notices to report effort, no one was traceable because ICE had no information about each person. Even though Mayorkas told senators in September that those who fail to self-report to ICE "would qualify as an enforcement priority of ours," the government now has no way to know where they are living.

The problem of unchecked releases began two months into the Biden administration. As soaring numbers of immigrants illegally crossed the southern border, the Border Patrol faced a dilemma. Although all adults, families, and children were supposed to be turned back into Mexico under a coronavirus pandemic public health policy that the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommended in March 2020, the Biden administration stopped turning away the majority of families and children. Without room to detain the more than half a million people it allowed into the country, U.S. border officials began releasing people while setting them up with court dates but could not keep up with the flow of people being taken into custody. The releases needed to be accelerated. Individuals were let go before being transferred to ICE or put in legal proceedings, shaving the amount of time needed to process each person.

Before March 2021, when an illegal immigrant was released by the Border Patrol into the U.S. rather than being returned to Mexico or another country of origin, he or she was given a notice to appear, a document stating that the person had been placed in removal proceedings and was expected to show up at a future date for court.

As of January 2021, 1,321 people stopped at the border were released into the U.S. By June, 34,730 people were released either with notices to appear in

court, notices to report to ICE, or through parole. That figure nearly doubled to 60,559 in July, according to federal data. In October 2021, CBP data revealed that it had stopped issuing any notices to report. Instead, the notices to appear category began ticking up from 17,766 in October to 33,267 in November. Nearly 10,000 were paroled in October and 5,600 in November.

Under parole, individuals do not need to check in with ICE after being released because ICE had placed each person or head of the family in its alternatives to detention program. Through alternatives to detention, which was used at a lesser rate before President Joe Biden took office, ICE uses technology to track and communicate with each person. Anyone who does not show up to court is in violation of the alternatives to detention agreement and may be arrested and detained by ICE. If the tracking app is deleted from a phone, ICE is notified and can take action.

One of the upsides is that the parole program eliminates paperwork. Whereas under the notices to appear a noncitizen was placed in the court docket in the city to which they planned to travel, a person could tell the Border Patrol or ICE he or she planned to go to Seattle but instead go to Boston. Because federal officials had placed that person in the Seattle immigration court system, it meant more paperwork to transfer him or her to the Boston docket. Now, each person paroled will inform ICE of their final destination. Those who do not are able to be tracked.



An article by Dennis Prager titled "Why the Masked and the Unmasked Have Disdain for Each Other" was posted at creators.com on Jan. 25, 2022. Following is the article.

Among the many unbridgeable divides between Americans is a completely antithetical view of mask wearing. On one side are those who wear masks almost everywhere outside their homes and who demand that others do so, including young children in class and on outdoor playgrounds, and 2-year-olds on airplanes.

On the other side are those who only wear a mask where they are punished for not doing so (most obviously, airplanes). They regard masks as essentially pacifiers for adults.

Generally speaking, these two groups have disdain for each other.

Why the pro-mask half of America holds the anti-mask half in contempt needs little explanation. They believe anti-mask Americans are putting others in grave danger. Pro-maskers believe that even children who do not wear masks put their own lives and the lives of other children and teachers at risk.

Consequently, pro-mask Americans regard those who do not wear masks, let alone those who actively oppose mask-wearing, as selfish, anti-science potential killers.

What may be less obvious is why anti-maskers hold pro-maskers in equal contempt. So, this needs explaining in greater detail. After all, anti-maskers don't believe that maskers are putting people in hospitals.

First, anti-maskers regard the charges made against them by pro-maskers as baseless. Therefore, as odd as it sounds, anti-maskers have contempt for the pro-maskers' contempt. To wrongly charge people with causing mass death is, to understate the case, immoral. And if this charge is demonstrably wrong, the people who level it are the ones who are anti-science.

Since each side regards the other as anti-science, what is the science?

Nearly all public health authorities claim that masks are absolutely necessary to save lives. But they have virtually no science to back up the claim.

There is, however, abundant scientific evidence that masks are worthless visa-vis viruses and do great harm to society.

Here is a fraction of the examples I could give:

In February 2020, U.S. Surgeon General Jerome Adams tweeted: "Seriously people—STOP BUYING MASKS! They are NOT effective in preventing general public from catching #Coronavirus."

In March 2020, the World Health Organization (WHO) Health Emergencies Program executive director, Mike Ryan, wrote: "There is no specific evidence to suggest that the wearing of masks by the mass population has any particular benefit."

A 2010 study in France led by Laetitia Canini (Ph.D. in epidemiology and biostatistics) concluded: "We did not identify any trend in the results suggesting effectiveness of facemasks."

A 2009 study of Japanese health workers led by epidemiologist Dr. Joshua L. Jacobs, of the University of Hawaii Medical School, concluded: "Face mask use in health care workers has not been demonstrated to provide benefit in terms of cold symptoms or getting colds."

As far as I could determine, the only randomized controlled trial (RCT) to test the effectiveness of masks against covid-19 was a 2020 study led by Henning Bundgaard of the Copenhagen University Hospital in Denmark. Published in the March 2021 issue of Annals of Internal Medicine, it found that 1.8% of those in the masked group and 2.1% of those in the control group became infected with covid-19 within a month. The 0.3-point difference is statistically insignificant.

MD and epidemiologist Vinay Prasad of the University of California at San Francisco buried the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's child masking recommendation in one sentence: "The CDC cannot 'follow the science' because there is no relevant science."

And what about surgical masks? They are not designed to prevent the spread of viruses, but to prevent medical personnel from accidentally infecting the open wounds of patients on the operating table, and to prevent body fluids from patients spraying up into the mouths and noses of the surgical team. Dr. Colin Axon, a covid-19 adviser to the British government, made this point clear: Medics were "unable to comprehend" the miniscule elements involved: "A covid viral particle is around 100 nanometers, material gaps in blue surgical masks are up to 1,000 times that size, cloth mask gaps can be 5,000 times the size."

While most studies conclude that masks are essentially useless against covid-19, not all do. Probably the most widely cited study on behalf of mask efficacy was published in the British Medical Journal in October 2021. But it's hardly a ringing endorsement. As the authors note, "The quality of current evidence would be graded as low or very low, as it consists of observational studies with poor methods."

If the only problem with the pro-mask position were that it negates science, it would only be harmless nonsense.

But, while it is nonsense, it is not harmless.

Take children, for example. Only time will tell how affected children have been by not seeing other children's faces and seeing few adult faces for two years. In July 2021, an article published under the auspices of the USC Center for Health Policy and Economics addressed this issue:

"Masking is a psychological stressor for children and disrupts learning. Covering the lower half of the face of both teacher and pupil reduces the ability to communicate. In particular, children lose the experience of mimicking expressions, an essential tool of nonverbal communication. Positive emotions such as laughing and smiling become less recognizable, and negative emotions get amplified. Bonding between teachers and students takes a hit. Overall, it is likely that masking exacerbates the chances that a child will experience anxiety and depression, which are already at pandemic levels themselves."

Yet, just this past week, the enemies of children known as teachers unions—in this case, the one that controls the Los Angeles Unified School District—issued a directive that all children must wear N95-type masks all day, including during outdoor recess, with a wire over their noses to keep the masks at maximum tightness.

The social damage of masks is not confined to children. All human interaction has suffered as a result of two years of masking. For example, people are less kind when they are anonymous.

All of that harm is more than sufficient to justify contempt for mask advocacy.

Now let's add to that the irrationality of the pro-mask position.

Health authorities demand that people wear masks when entering restaurants, when seated on an airplane, and when walking through airports. However, an exception is made for eating and drinking. So, then, one regularly sees people on airplanes seated less than 12 inches from one another eating without masks on; people seated at airport cafes and restaurants with no masks on; and people spending about an hour eating in restaurants with no masks on.

And while on the subject of airplanes: Do pro-mask advocates think that pilots keep their masks on while flying? Do they even want them to? Does any rational person want their pilots to breathe their own carbon dioxide for six hours while flying across the country?

The utter irrationality of mask advocacy is the single greatest reason the antimask people hold mask advocates in contempt. How else should one regard adults who believe that two-year-olds on airplanes and five-year-olds in schools should be masked? Watching half of our fellow Americans accept and engage in such irrational behavior (not to mention sometimes hysterically enforce it, as myriad social media videos attest) not only depresses the rest of us; it frightens us. That more than half of our country willingly obeys completely irrational orders raises the question: What irrational orders from the state would they not obey?



An article by Benjamin Yount titled "Wisconsin Becomes Latest State to Approve Convention of the States Resolution" was posted at justthenews.com on Jan. 27, 2022. Following are excerpts of the article.

The Wisconsin Senate on Tuesday approved a resolution [17-16] calling for a Convention of the States. The Wisconsin Assembly approved the same resolution back in May. Wisconsin is the 16th state to approve a Convention of the State resolution. It will take 34 states to trigger a Convention of the States.

- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- Florida
- Georgia
- Indiana
- Louisiana
- Mississippi
- Missouri
- North Dakota
- Oklahoma
- Tennessee
- Texas
- Utah
- Wisconsin



"Eye on the World" comment: The following headlines are about articles that involve the United States. The articles were not posted, but the headlines give the essence of the story.

#### Comments about abortion

- An article by Michael W. Chapman titled "Catholic Leaders Condemn 'Diabolical' Pro-Abortion Messages Projected Onto National Shrine in DC" was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Charlotte Pence Bond titled "[South Dakota] Gov. Kristi Noem Introduces Two Pro-Life Bills on March for Life Day" was posted at dailywire. com on Jan. 21, 2022.

- An article by Gina Martinez titled "Justice Sotomayor Criticizes Texas Abortion Ban in Scathing Dissent After SCOTUS Failed to Help Providers: 'This Case Is a Disaster for the Rule of Law and Grave Disservice to Women' " was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Emily Robertson titled "Tens of Thousands Join 2022 March for Life to Protest Abortion: 'All Lives Matter' " was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Ken Blackwell titled "Biden Administration Must Protect the Unborn From Bogus Prenatal Tests" was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Terence P. Jeffrey titled "[Supreme Justice Stephen] Breyer: 'Deliberately and Intentionally Delivering Into the Vagina a Living Unborn Child' and Killing It Is a Right" was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Madeline Leesman titled "Pro-Abortion Activist [and Apparent Former Spokesperson for the Satanic Temple Jex Blackmore] Terminates Pregnancy [With an Abortion Pill] in Live Television Interview" was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Jordan Boyd titled "'Catholics for Choice' Masquerades as Religious Crusade to Protect Women, but It's Just Another Left-Wing Front to Encourage Killing Unborn Babies" was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 27, 2022.
- An article by Madeline Osburn titled "University of Pittsburgh Report Tries to Explain Away Barbaric Experiments With Aborted Babies" was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 27, 2022.

# New book shows America's elites dealing with China

- An article by Rebecca Mansour titled "[Peter Schweizer's New Book] 'Red-Handed' Rockets to #1 on Barnes & Noble and Amazon on First Day" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Trent Baker titled "[Peter] Schweizer: Biden Family Received 'Some \$31 Million' From Individuals Linked to 'Highest Levels of Chinese Intelligence'" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by John Hayward titled "'Red-Handed' Reveals Chinese Donations to University of Pennsylvania Soared After Biden Center Announcement" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Kristina Wong titled "Red-Handed: \$6 Million Biden Family Deal Was With Ye Jianming Who Had Ties to a Spy-Linked 'United Front' Group" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled "Schweizer: Pelosi Family 'Has Done a Lot of Business in China Since the Covid Outbreak'—Won't Allow Hearings on Covid Origins" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by John Hayward titled "Revealed [in Schweizer's Book]: Senator Dianne Feinstein's Husband Partly Owned a Chinese Company That Sold Spyware to U.S. Military" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### **Comments about election news**

■ An article by Gabe Kaminsky titled "Biden Court Nominee [NAACP Attorney Natasha Merle] Argued Voter ID Requirements Are 'Same Playbook' as Jim Crow" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

# Wanting to eliminate Senate filibuster to pass voting law

■ An article by John Rigolizzo titled "'Not Long for This World': Democrats of All Stripes Plan to Campaign on Gutting Filibuster" was posted at dailywire. com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# **Continued punishment toward Joe Manchin and Kyrsten Sinema**

- An article by Staff titled "Sinema Doubles Down on Not Changing Senate's Filibuster Rules" was posted at 12news.com on Jan. 13, 2022.
- An article by Brahm Resnik titled "Arizona Democratic Party Censures [Symbolic Vote of Disapproval] Sen. [Kyrsten] Sinema After Collapse of Voting-Rights Bill" was posted at 12news.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Katelyn Caralle and Gina Martinez titled "Bernie Sanders Supports Arizona Democrats Censuring [a Symbolic Move] Kyrsten Sinema for Voting Against Ending the Filibuster and Says Biden Can 'Absolutely Not' Count on His Vote in a Compromise With Joe Manchin" was posted at dailymail. co.uk on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Jim Reineking titled "[NBA Basketball Coach] Gregg Popovich Rips Republicans (as Well as Joe Manchin and Kyrsten Sinema) for Blocking Voting Rights Bill" was posted at usatoday.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Michael Ruiz titled "Ex-Obama Aide [Alyssa Mastromonaco] Unleashes R-Rated Rant Against Kyrsten Sinema for Breaking Ranks on Filibuster" was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Libby Emmons titled "Liberals Who Harassed Sinema and Manchin Now Need Them to Push Biden's Supreme Court Pick Through" was posted at the postmillennial.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Afghan refugees**

■ An article by Jasmine Aguilera titled "Tens of Thousands of Afghans Who Fled the Taliban Are Now Marooned in America's Broken Immigration Bureaucracy" was posted at time.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Kamala Harris and illegal immigration

■ An article by Nikki Schwab titled "Kamala Harris to Attend Inauguration of Incoming Socialist Honduran President With Anti-Semitic Ties—and Whose Help She Needs to Tackle Her Immigration Crisis" was posted at dailymail. co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Illegal immigration

■ An article by John Binder titled "Former CBP Chief [Mark Morgan]: Biden Invites More Than 3,000,000 Border Crossers to U.S." was posted at breitbart. com on Jan. 20, 2022.

- An article by John Binder titled "Biden Plans to Give Taxpayer-Funded 'Legal Services' to Illegal Aliens" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Charlotte Cuthbertson titled "Border Apprehensions Surge to Almost 1.9 Million in 2021—Up From 479,000 in 2020" was posted at theepochtimes.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

# Truth about immigration and voting

- Looking back to July 2021, an article by Julio Rosas titled "There It Is: NYT Op-Ed [by Alossa Araxia Abrahamian] Gives the Game Away by Wanting to Let Non-Citizens to Vote in U.S. Elections" was posted at townhall.com on July 29, 2021.
- Looking back to July 2021, an article by Rebecca Downs titled "NYT Guest Essay Opinion Piece [Alossa Araxia Abrahamian] Claims 'There Is No Good Reason You Should Have to Be a Citizen to Vote' "was posted at townhall.com on July 31, 2021.

#### Comments about fossil fuel

■ An article by Pippa Stevens titled "Global Oil Benchmark Tops \$90 for the First Time Since 2014" was posted at cnbc.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

## **Comments about electric vehicles**

- An article by Michael Holtz titled "Idaho Is Sitting on One of the Most Important Elements on Earth [Cobalt, a Metal Used for Lithium-Ion Batteries for Electric Vehicles]" was posted at theatlantic.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Mark Burton titled "Lithium Hits 'Ludicrous Mode' as Battery Metal Extends 400% Gain" was posted at bloomberg.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

#### Inflation

■ An article by Casey Harper titled "Americans' Pessimism on Inflation Hits Record High" was posted at thecentersquare.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### **Finances**

- An article by Megan Henney titled "Biden's \$15 Minimum Wage Hike for Federal Agencies Goes Into Effect" was posted at foxbusiness.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Neil Munroe titled "Joe Biden Invites More Foreign Workers to Take Americans' White-Collar Careers" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Maria Pasquini titled "Billionaire Mark Cuban's Discounted [Online] Pharmacy [Mark Cuban Cost Plus Drug Company or MCCPDC] Has Launched: 'Bypass Middlemen and Outrageous Markups' " was posted at people.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# Supply-chain backlog

■ An article by Rob Crilly titled "Car Factories and Other Major Manufacturers Face Closing Because They Have Fewer Than Five Days' Supply of Some Computer Chips, Commerce Department Says" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Comments about defunding the police

- An article by Libby Emmons titled "White House Admits Skyrocketing Crime Due to Underfunding of Police Departments" was posted at the postmillennial. com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Snejana Farberov titled "NYPD Cops Slam Democrat Councilwoman [Socialist Kristin Richardson Jordan]—Who Wants to Abolish the Police for Offering Sympathies to Executed Officers and Their Killer" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### Comments about excessive violent crime

- An article by Alecia Reid titled "Carjackings in Philadelphia Have Nearly Tripled Since 2019; More Than 100 Already in 2022" was posted at cbsphilly. com on Jan. 19, 2022.
- An article by Staff titled "NYC's Bad Old Days Are Back If We Do Nothing About Violence" was posted at nypost.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by David Meyer titled "Manhattan Officials Ask MTA [Metropolitan Transportation Authority] to 'Quickly' Test Subway Platform Barriers After [Another] Fatal Shove" was posted at nypost.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Jack Murphy titled "Carjackings Skyrocket by 510% in Democrat-Run Cities Amid Soft-on-Crime Policies" was posted at neonnettle.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

# **Comments about weapons**

- An article by Awr Hawkins titled "NYC Mayor Calls for More Gun Control After Felon Allegedly Shot 2 Officers" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Rachel Uranga and Richard Winton titled "Guns Stolen From [Los Angeles] Rail Cars Spark LAPD Concern" was posted at latimes.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Lawrence Richard titled "San Jose [California] Approves Gun Owners Liability Insurance" was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by John Rigolizzo titled "Gun Rights Groups Suing San Jose Over 'Gun Ownership Tax' Insurance Mandate" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Comments about January 6 Capitol riot**

- An article by Jeff Poor titled "Gingrich: January 6 Committee, AG Garland 'Lynch Mob' 'Face a Real Risk of Jail for the Kind of Laws They Are Breaking' "was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Christian Toto titled "'J6' Is Hollywood's Attempt to Stop Trump 2.0" was posted at hollywoodintoto.com on Jan. 23, 2022.

# Comments about educating our youth

■ An press release titled "[New Mexico] Governor Lujan Grisham Announces 'Supporting Teachers and Families' Initiative [Involves National Guard Helping as Substitute Teachers]" was posted at governor.state.nm.us on Jan. 19, 2022.

- An article by Breccan F. Thies titled "Virginia Democrats Fight to Hide Sexually Explicit School Materials From Parents" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Rebecca Downs titled "ACLU Comes Out in Support of Keeping Parents in the Dark on What Their Children Are Learning" was posted at townhall. com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Natasha Anderson titled "'They Aren't Just Co-Parenting With You Anymore, They Are Full On Taking Over': \$56,000-a-Year All-Girls Nightingale School on Manhattan's Upper East Side Accused of Bringing in Planned Parenthood to Teach Girls About Reproduction" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.

## **Comments about school boards**

■ An article by Landon Mion titled "Pennsylvania School Board Member to Parents: 'I Don't Work for You' " was posted at townhall.com on Jan. 23, 2022.

# **Comments about racism and white supremacy**

■ An article by Michelle Thompson titled "Washington University in St. Louis Hosts an Event Claiming 'Professionalism Is Racist' Because It 'Silences Marginalized People of Color' " was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 24, 2022.

# Comments about critical race theory

- An article by Jarrett Stepman titled "Parents Wise Up About Critical Race Theory" was posted at nypost.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Tyler O'Neil titled "Democrat Delegate Attacks [Virginia Governor Glenn] Youngkin's Faith, Says His CRT Ban Shows He's 'Not a Christian' "was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### Comments about harassment of Asian citizens

■ An article by Gina Martinez titled "Anti-Asian Hate Crimes Spiked 567% in San Francisco in 2021: One Man Who Targeted Chinese-Owned Businesses Committed More Than Half the Attacks in Just Five Months Before His Arrest Last August" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Comments about Marxist BLM corporation**

- Looking back to June 2020, an article by Mark Moore titled "BLM Leader [Hawk Newsome]: If Change Doesn't Happen, Then 'We Will Burn Down This System' "was posted at nypost.com on June 25, 2020.
- An article by Alana Mastrangelo titled "Bravo [Television] Fires 'Real Housewives' Star [Jennie Nguyen] Over Posts Slamming BLM, Supporting Police During George Floyd Riots" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

#### Comments about harassment of black citizens

- A video and an article by Mia Cathell titled "Watch: Elderly, Masked White Women Yell 'Black Lives Matter' While Assaulting Black Man for Not Wearing a Mask" were posted at the postmillennial.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Matthew Loh titled "A Black Corrections Officer Is Suing Walmart, Saying He Was Racially Profiled After Being Mistaken for a Serial Shop-lifter and Handcuffed" was posted at businessinsider.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Comments about police behavior**

- An article by Jake Epstein titled "A Black Woman Involved in a Botched Chicago Police Raid Got a \$2.9 Million Settlement; She Said She Would Have Rather Seen the Cops Get Fired" was posted at businessinsider.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by John Byrne titled "Two Men Who Spent Years in Prison for Murder, Say They Were Tortured Into Confessing by Cops Tied to Jon Burge, Offered \$14 Million Settlement" was posted at chicagotribune.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Joshua Zitser titled "Black man Sues Police After he Was Jailed for 6 Days When Officers Mistook Him for an Older White Male With the Same Name" was posted at businessinsider.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Hannah-Phillips titled "Pocono Resort [in Pennsylvania] Under Fire After Video of Black Guests Wrongly Accused of Shoplifting Goes Viral" was posted at poconorecord.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Kenneth Niemeyer and Hannah Beckler titled "Mississippi Authorities Still Silent on Investigation Into the Death of a Black Man Who Died in Police Custody Over Six Months Ago" was posted at businessinsider.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Comments about district attorney behavior

- An article by Aaron Kliegman titled "Amid Violent Crime Wave, Permissive, Soros-Funded Prosecutors Under Fire Nationwide" was posted at justthenews. com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Ian Miles Cheong titled "Oregon Gov. Kate Brown Pushes Executive Clemency for Criminals Despite Rise in Violent Crime" was posted at the postmillennial.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

#### 500 million free tests

■ An article by Liz George titled "Many of Biden Administration's 'Free' Covid-19 Tests Were Made in China" was posted at americanmilitarynews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Agencies sending mixed messages

- An article by Connor Perrett titled "A Top U.S. Doctor [Dr. Ashish Jha, the Dean at Brown University School of Public Health] Says Biden's Agencies Haven't Been on the 'Same Page' on Messaging About Covid-19, Causing a 'Real Problem' " was posted at businessinsider.com on Jan. 16, 2022.
- An article by Elle Reynolds titled "CDC Finally Admits Cloth Masks Were Always Political Theater" was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 17, 2022.

#### FDA must show their Pfizer data

■ An article by Katherine Hamilton titled "Judge Gives FDA 8 Months to Release Pfizer Vaccine Data After Agency Requested 75 Years" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 8, 2022.

#### FDA limits monoclonal antibodies

- An article by Patrizia Cavazzoni titled "Coronavirus (Covid-19) Update: FDA Limits Use of Certain Monoclonal Antibodies to Treat Covid-19 Due to the Omicron Variant" was posted at fda.gov on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Keith Griffith titled "FDA Is Accused of Trying to Force Americans to Get Vaccinated After 'Asinine' Decision to Limit Use of Covid Antibody Treatments Because 'They Don't Work Against Omicron'—Even Though They Do Work Against Delta" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Alexander Nazaryan titled "DeSantis Demands Covid Treatments Deemed Ineffective by FDA" was posted at yahoo.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# Vaccines can not prevent transmission

- Looking back to August 2021, an article by Sarah Knapton titled "Fully Vaccinated and Unvaccinated 'Can Both Transmit Covid' " was posted at telegraph.co.uk on Aug. 6, 2021.
- An article by Rob Crilly titled "Ex-White House [Trump's] Testing Czar [Brett Giroir] Criticizes Biden's 'Incorrect' Claim It Is Still the 'Pandemic of the Unvaccinated' Because It Suggests the Vaccinated Are Protected From Omicron" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 5, 2022.
- An article by Susan Jones titled "CDC's Definition of 'Vaccine' Has Changed Over Time: 'Protection' [Has Replaced] 'Immunity' [Because Fully Vaccinated Americans Are Not Immune to Covid]" was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Mary McDermott titled "Over 66 Percent of Omicron Cases Are Reinfections, Study Shows" was posted at nypost.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

## Is Omicron the end of covid-19?

- An article by Tim Pearce titled "CDC Study: Natural Immunity Beats Vax Against Delta Variant" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 20, 2022.
- An article by Joel B. Pollak titled "California: Data Suggest Omicron Coronavirus Wave Has Peaked" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Pam Key titled "Fauci: It Is 'Entirely Conceivable' That We May Need Boosters Again" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Michelle Thompson titled "Even Fauci Thinks the End Is in Sight; Covid Tsar Predicts Almost All of U.S. Will Have Hit Omicron Peak Within Weeks as Early Tri-State Epicenters See Infections Plunge by Up to 64%" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Alice Park titled "Omicron Could be the Beginning of the End of the Covid-19 Pandemic" was posted at time.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

## Is there a "stealth" omicron?

■ An article by Alison Bowen titled "What Is 'Stealth Omicron' and How Worried Should We Be About Another Covid-19 Mutation? Chicago Experts Explain" was posted at chicagotribune.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

■ An article by Evan Moore titled "Could a New Covid Variant Identified in North Carolina Spread Faster Than Omicron? Doctors Are Exploring" was posted at charlotteobserver.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Supreme Court blocks business vaccine mandate**

- Looking back to October 2021, an article by Joy Pullmann titled "Joe Biden's Vaccine Mandate Doesn't Exist [Legally]; It's Just a Press Release [Although Major Corporations and Businesses Are Enforcing It]" was posted at thefederalist.com on Oct. 7, 2021.
- An article by Eric Katz titled "Federal Court Orders Nationwide Pause on Biden's Federal Employee Vaccine Mandate" was posted at govexec.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Eric Katz titled "Biden Administration Confirms It Will Mostly Pause Punishment of Unvaccinated Feds" was posted at govexec.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

## **Government withdraws Biden vaccine mandate**

- An article by Liz Stark titled "Biden Administration to Withdraw Covid-19 Vaccination and Testing Regulation Aimed at Large Businesses" was posted at cnn.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Hannah Bleau titled "OSHA Formally Withdraws Biden Vaccine Mandate" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# Implementing the vaccine "mandate"

- A press release titled "DHS to Require Non-U.S. Individual Travelers Entering the United States at Land Ports of Entry and Ferry Terminals to Be Fully Vaccinated Against Covid-19" was posted at dhs.gov on Jan. 20, 2022.
- An article by Emily Robertson titled "[Laura] Ingraham: Unvaxxed Illegals Can Go Anywhere 'On the Taxpayer's Dime'—'But Unvaxxed Truckers Can't Cross the Border?' "was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Vaccine exemptions**

■ An article by Natalie Winters titled "Vax Data: Just 0.06% of Religious Exemption Requests Have Been Granted for U.S. Marines" was posted at thenationalpulse.com on Jan. 23, 2022.

#### Vaccines—fake vaccination cards

■ An article by Jason Owens titled "Bills Fans Charged With Using Fake Covid-19 Vaccine Cards to Attend Playoff Game vs. Patriots" was posted at sports.yahoo.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# Resisting the vaccine mandate

■ An article by Warner Todd Huston titled "Aaron Rodgers Blasts Joe Biden for Calling Covid 'Pandemic of the Unvaccinated,' Mocks His Public Speaking" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 21, 2022.

- An article by Tim Pearce titled "Thousands [30,000] March Against Lockdowns, Forced Vaccinations at 'Defeat the Mandates' Rally in D.C." was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Nick Gilbertson titled "Minneapolis Restaurants File Lawsuit Against Democrat Mayor Jacob Frey's Vax Mandate" was posted at breitbart. com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Amy Furr titled "Fired Workers Sue Michigan Blue Cross Blue Shield Over Vaccine Mandate: 'We're Not Just Numbers' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Rebecca Lawrence titled "[Musician] Eric Clapton Claims People Who Have Had the Covid Vaccine Are Victims of 'Mass Formation Hypnosis' " was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Kylee Zempel titled "Sen. Ron Johnson's Latest Covid Panel Reveals 800,000 People and Counting Want 'A Second Opinion' " was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Keith Griffith titled "United Airlines Pilot Who Refused Covid Vaccine Claims She Is Stuck on Unpaid Leave With No Health Insurance and Unable to Seek Another Job" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

# **Punishing the unvaccinated**

- A video and an article by Amy Furr titled "Video: Man Deemed Ineligible for Heart Transplant After Refusing Coronavirus Vaccine" were posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Dillon Burroughs titled "Truckers Against Vax Mandate Raise Millions; GoFundMe Withholds Funds" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Christopher Reynolds titled "GoFundMe Withholding \$4.5 Million From Trucker Convoy Until Plan Presented" was posted at toronto. citynews.ca on Jan. 25, 2022.

# **Defending the unvaccinated**

■ An article by Dillon Burroughs titled "New State Law [in South Carolina] Would Make It Illegal to Request a Person's Vaccine Status" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

#### Vaccine mandates for kids

■ An article by Jeff Poor titled "Rand Paul: 'Medical Malpractice to Force Vaccines on Children' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 22, 2022.

#### Vaccine mandates for schools

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■ An article by Greg Woodfield titled "Fury as Pennsylvania School Board Member Humiliates Parents by Publicly Calling Them 'Offensive and Vile' for Voicing Concerns Over New Mask Mandate for Kids" was posted at dailymail. co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

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- An article by Hank Berrien titled "[Virginia Governor Glenn] Youngkin Sets Up Tip Line for Parents to Report Teachers Using 'Divisive' Practices" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Jordan Boyd titled "Fairfax Schools Suspend Maskless Kids Despite [Virginia Governor Glenn] Youngkin's Ban on Forced Masking" was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Ben Johnson titled "Jim Acosta: Virginia Is 'A Soviet-Style Police State' Under Gov. [Glenn] Youngkin" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Staff titled "Virginia's AG [Jason Miyares] Slams CNN's Acosta for Claiming Virginia Is 'Soviet-Style Police State': 'My Family Fled Cuba' "was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 27, 2022.

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- An article by Staff titled "Maher Blasts Democrats for Pro-Science Claims: 'A Lot of What They Do Has Nothing to Do With Science' "was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Matt McNulty titled "'Don't Sit There in Your White Coat and Tell Me to Just Do What We Say': Bill Maher Takes Aim at Dr. Fauci as He Urges Americans Not to Blindly Follow Advice of Doctors" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 22, 2022.

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■ An article by Amanda Prestigiacomo titled "[Popular Podcast Host Joe] Rogan Unloads on CNN: 'They Disseminate Propaganda'—Coverage Is 'Preposterous' " was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 21, 2022.

- An article by Landon Mion titled "CNN Guest [Commentator Catherine Rampell]: Fox News 'Invented' Scary Stories About a 'Senile President' and CRT 'Brainwashing Kids' " was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled "[Washington Post Columnist and CNN Analyst Josh] Rogin: Many in Corporate World, Some in Media 'Don't Care' About China's Abuses; 'Our Elites Are Often Up for Bribery' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Brian Flood titled "MSNBC's Tiffany Cross Urges Liberals to 'Pick Up a Weapon [Metaphorically] and Get Involved' in 'War' for Democracy" was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Ted Johnson titled "Joe Biden Heard Muttering 'What a Stupid Son of a Bitch' [About Peter Doocy] After Inflation Question From Fox News' Peter Doocy" was posted at deadline.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

#### **Comments about Robert Francis O'Rourke**

- Looking back to November 2021, an article by Taylor Ardrey titled "'I Still Hold This View': Beto O'Rourke Stands Firm on 2019 Presidential Debate 'We're Gonna Take Your AR-15, Your AK-47' Remarks" was posted at businessinsider.com on Nov. 21, 2021.
- An article by Elizabeth Elkind titled "Beto O'Rourke Bans Deeply Unpopular Biden and Kamala From Helping His Texas Governor Bid: 'I'm Not Interested in Any National Politician Coming Into This State' "was posted at dailymail. co.uk on Jan. 24, 2022.

# **Replacement for Justice Stephen Breyer**

- An article by Tim Meads titled "Progressives Demand Biden Pick Supreme Court Nominee Based on Race and Sex, Select First Black Female Justice" was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Emily Goodin titled "Biden Will Nominate First Black Woman to SCOTUS to Replace Judge Stephen Breyer, 83, This Summer: Choices Include Judge [Ketanji Brown Jackson of California] Who Provoked Republicans With 'Presidents Aren't Kings' Ruling and [Leslie Abrams Gardner of Georgia] Sister of Stacey Abrams" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 26, 2022.

## **Democrats worried about Kamala Harris**

- An article by Natasha Anderson and Katelyn Caralle titled "A Marriage Made in Hell: Biden Tells Kamala 'I Love You, You Always Have My Back' and She Replies 'I Do' in Toe-Curling Message at DNC Event as They Are Both Hit With Historically Low Approval Ratings" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Virginia Kruta titled "[Fox News Host] Harris Faulkner Floats VP Harris as Possible SCOTUS Nominee: 'They Don't Know What to Do With Kamala Harris at the White House' "was posted at dailywire.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Anthony Adragna titled "Kamala Harris Almost Certainly Won't Be Biden's Nominee to the Supreme Court" was posted at politico.com on Jan. 26, 2022.

# "Let's Go, Brandon"

- Looking back to October 2021, an article by Jorge Fitz-Gibbon titled "NASCAR Crowd Chants 'F\*\*k Joe Biden' at Talladega; NBC Reporter [Kelli Stavast] Hears Something Else [Claiming 'Let's Go Brandon']" was posted at nypost.com on Oct. 3, 2021.
- An article by Alana Mastrangelo titled "Kid Rock Rips Biden, Fauci in 'We the People' Anthem: 'Let's Go Brandon' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# **Biden's mental capacity**

■ An article by Brandon Gillespie titled "NBC's Chuck Todd: Biden 'No Longer Seen as Competent and Effective' " was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 24, 2022.

# **Biden and Harris supporters and detractors**

- An article by Pam Key titled "[Democratic Strategist] Donna Brazile: Biden 'Has a Lot to Brag About'—'I Give Him High Marks for the First Year' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- A video and an article by Nick Gilbertson titled "Watch: Thousands of Stolen Packages Cover Downtown LA Train Tracks" were posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 14, 2022.
- An article by Joel B. Pollak titled "Gavin Newsom on L.A. Rail Theft: 'We Look Like a Third-World Country' " was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Joel B. Pollak titled "Gavin Newsom Apologizes for Using 'Gangs' to Describe Rail Thieves" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Melanie Arter titled "[Louisiana Republican John] Kennedy: People Who Voted for Biden Thought They Were Getting the Second Coming of Obama; 'They Got the Second Cousin of Bernie Sanders' "was posted at cnsnews.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Victor Reklaitis titled "Amazon, Facebook Set Washington Lobbying Spending Records" was posted at marketwatch.com on Jan. 22, 2022.
- An article by Chuck Ross titled "Companies Linked to Putin's Pipeline Contributed to Schumer Campaign" was posted at freebeacon.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Mike Miller titled "Black Voters Throwing Biden Under the Bus in Increasing Numbers" was posted at redstate.com on Jan. 24, 2022.
- An article by Paul Bois titled "'For the Children' [Says the Progressive Who Regularly Votes for Abortion]: Nancy Pelosi Announces Run for Reelection" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Jordan Dixon-Hamilton titled "Report: Law Firms Donated \$15 Million to Democrat Groups After Receiving Government Contracts" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

#### Comments about conservatives

■ An article by Jeff Poor titled "DeSantis: 'The Corporate Media Is Trying to Manufacture' a Trump-DeSantis Feud" was posted at breitbart.com on Jan. 25, 2022.

# **Trump supporters and detractors**

■ An article by Geoff Earle titled "Trump Only Has \$93 Million in the Bank in His Last Year of Presidency, Filing by NY AG James Shows—Despite telling Forbes He Had \$793 Million in 2015" was posted at dailymail.co.uk on Jan. 25, 2022.

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- An article by Alison Cutler titled "Former Chick-fil-A Directors Sentenced in Scheme to Swindle Nearly \$500,000; Feds Say" was posted at sunherald.com on Jan. 21, 2022.
- An article by Sydney Reynolds titled "Cornhole [Also Called 'Bean Bag'] Tournament [by 'Home for the Braves' in Bridgeport, Conn.] Raises \$4,500 for Homeless Veterans" was posted at wtnh.com on Jan. 23, 2022.
- An article by Christine Hitt titled "Earth's Tallest Mountain Is in Hawaii [Though Mt. Everest Is the Highest Mountain on Earth at 29,032 Feet Above Sea Level, Maunakea Volcano on the Big Island Is the Tallest at 33,500 Feet—With 19,698 Underwater And 13,802 Above Water]; Here's What It Took to Ascend It" was posted at sfgate.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Alex Millson titled "[Singer] Neil Young Gives Spotify an Ultimatum: '[Joe] Rogan or Young, Not Both' [Neil Young Threatens to Leave Spotify Over Vaccine 'Misinformation']" was posted at bloomberg.com on Jan. 25, 2022.
- An article by Judy Kurtz titled "Spotify Sides With Joe Rogan After Neil Young Ultimatum" was posted at thehill.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Ellen Gamerman titled "Bradly Cooper, Benedict Cumberbatch and the Golden Age of Nude Men [As Hollywood Male Stars Aren't Scared of Full-Frontal Nudity Anymore]" was posted at wsj.com on Jan. 26, 2022.
- An article by Michael Lee titled "Navy SEALS to Stop Using Washington State Parks After Residents Voice Fears of Seeing 'Armed Men' " was posted at foxnews.com on Jan. 26, 2022.



**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 you 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 be 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."