

# Eye on the World

## May 9, 2026

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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 Lisa Goldman titled “Why Is the UAE ‘All-In’ on Its Relationship With Israel?” was posted at newlinesmag.com on May 6, 2026. Following is the article.

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When the U.S. and Israel attacked Iran on Feb. 28, the ensuing weeks-long war unleashed a massive barrage of missiles and drones on the United Arab Emirates, sparking a security crisis for which the oil-rich Gulf country was unprepared.

Only Israel was hit harder than the UAE, but Israel has an extensive, well-established defense system that includes bomb shelters and the missile interceptor known as Iron Dome. The UAE had neither of these. It was seeing its position as a safe haven, a Singapore of the Middle East, threatened by a conflict that it had neither sought nor overtly supported.

And yet, according to seemingly counterintuitive observations delivered in a recent interview with UAE presidential adviser Anwar Gargash, Iran’s attack on the Gulf states will “actually strengthen the Israeli role in the Gulf, [and] not diminish it.”

A retired U.S. State Department official who specialized in Middle Eastern affairs offered a succinct explanation for the UAE’s position. The Emiratis, he said, have “a very old-fashioned mentality.” He continued: “When they are in trouble, they look very carefully at who shows up. They saw that Israel really showed up.”

According to an Axios report by Israeli journalist Barak Ravid, Israel dispatched Iron Dome missile interceptors to the UAE, along with the military personnel to operate them. This was the first time Israel had sent the Iron Dome to another country. Haaretz journalist Gili Cohen added, during the newspaper's May 4 Hebrew podcast episode, that Israel had also sent officers from the Home Front Command to help the UAE set up a warning system that would alert civilians of incoming rockets and direct them to the nearest possible shelter.

The point for the Emirati rulers was not that the reason their country needed Israel's help was to protect itself from a war Israel had started, but rather that the Iranians, with whom they had diplomatic relations, unleashed a massive barrage of rockets, missiles and drones on their heads for no rational reason.

A well-connected Emirati businessperson agreed that Israel's decision to attack Iran was "a really poor idea." But, he explained, the Iranians, by bombing Dubai and Abu Dhabi in an implicit rebuke of the UAE for its good relationship with Israel and the U.S., seemed to be saying that "if [Iran] goes down, it's all over for the region. Chaos." The UAE abhors chaos.

Like Israel, which has historically described itself as "a villa in the jungle," the UAE, explained the Emirati businessperson, sees itself as a civilized place that values prosperity, stability and secularism, and which is isolated in a region rife with Islamism, broken ideologies, poorly functioning states and unreliable allies.

"The UAE is very transactional," said the Emirati businessperson, who described his country's relationship with Israel as "totally pragmatic, with no love." His government, he said, "knew exactly who [Prime Minister Benjamin] Netanyahu was," understood "his type" and didn't imagine that Netanyahu loved them any more than they loved him. But they knew how to work with him for mutual benefit.

"The UAE is all-in on its relationship with Israel because it serves them and their medium- to long-term vision of this region," he said. He added: "We have nothing in common with [the rest of the Middle East] in terms of values and systems. We are pragmatic, and they're not. So it's a difficult neighborhood to be in." He continued: "From the UAE's perspective, there is nobody else that has the willingness to live in a post-American world in the region. In that respect, we share Israel's values."

The UAE is heavily invested in its relationship with the U.S., but does not consider it a reliable ally. This feeling about the U.S. began not with President Donald Trump, who is notoriously inconsistent, but with the Obama administration, first in its response to the Arab Spring and then in its taking the lead on negotiating a multilateral nuclear deal with the Iranians.

From the UAE's perspective, President Barack Obama "abandoned" Egypt's Hosni Mubarak, "who was a faithful servant for more than 30 years," while the 2015 Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action (JCPOA), known as the Iran nuclear deal, was "a reward to a rogue state." The Israeli

government was a staunch ally of Mubarak (at one point during the 2011 uprising, an Israeli legislator claimed he had offered the Egyptian leader shelter in Israel), and Netanyahu was vociferously opposed to the JCPOA.

Where the UAE does not share Israel's values, said the Emirati businessperson, was in what he described as their diverging "end goals." The Emiratis, he explained, "like stability. But Israel thrives on instability and has a high tolerance for continuous low-grade conflict."

For now, though, while they might not be perfectly aligned, the two countries are, pragmatically and transactionally, happy bedfellows. And as another expert — who, like all the people interviewed for this article, requested that their remarks be published without attribution — said: "The relationship between the two countries will probably deepen in the coming years."



"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.

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### **Iran war – naval blockade**

- An article by John Oyewale titled "France Sends Aircraft Carrier to Strategic Waterway Amid Iran War" was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on May 6, 2026.
- An article by Anne Young titled "US Launches 'Self-Defense' Strikes After Iran Targets Navy Destroyers – but US Official Insists Cease-Fire Still Stands: Report" was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Ryan Morgan titled "3 US Warships Fend Off Iranian Attacks, Trump Says Cease-Fire Still Holds" was posted at [theepochtimes.com](https://www.theepochtimes.com) on May 8, 2026.

### **The Strait of Hormuz**

- An article by John Hayward titled "U.S. Becomes World's Biggest Oil Producer During Strait of Hormuz Crisis" was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Joshua Klein titled "Trump Announces 'Project Freedom' to Escort Ships Out of Hormuz – 'Any Interference Will Be Dealt With Forcefully' " was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 3, 2026.
- An article by John Hayward titled "Report: Saudi Arabia Blocked 'Project Freedom' by Denying U.S. Access to Bases" was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 7, 2026.

- An article by Caitlin Doombos titled “US Forces Hit Tankers Trying to Break Iran Blockade as Military Says Embargo Has Stalled 70 Ships” was posted at nypost.com on May 8, 2026.

### **United Arab Emirates – leaves OPEC**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Taylor Herzlich titled “United Arab Emirates [the Third-Largest Oil Producer in OPEC Behind Saudi Arabia and Iraq] to Leave OPEC on May 1 in Shocking Blow to World’s Largest Oil Cartel Amid Iran War” was posted at nypost.com on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “What to Know About the Growing Saudi Arabia-UAE Rift” was posted at nytimes.com on May 5, 2026.
- A Reuters article by Staff titled “UAE Tells Iran That Its Ties and Defense Partnerships Are a ‘Sovereign Matter’ ” was posted at reuters.com on May 6, 2026.
- An article by Ronny Reyes titled “UAE Sneaked 4 Oil Tankers Through Strait of Hormuz – Right Under Iran’s Nose” was posted at nypost.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Hussien Elkabany titled “UAE Forms National Committee to Document Damage Caused by Iranian Attacks” was posted at aa.com.tr (Anadolu Ajansi) on May 7, 2026.

### **Iran war – general**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “[Breitbart Senior Contributor Peter] Schweizer: You Think Trump Committed War Crimes? Look at Clinton in Serbia, Obama in Libya” was posted at breitbart.com on April 25, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Who Owns Novitex: Iran’s Largest Crypto Exchange Used by IRGC to Move Millions” was posted at jpost.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled “Democrat Rep. [Eugene] Vindman [Told MS NOW]: Iran Didn’t Want a Nuclear Weapon” was posted at breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled “Trump: Haven’t Gone After Regular Iranian Army ‘Too Much’ – Think ‘They’re Much More Moderate” was posted at breitbart.com on May 4, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Kidnapped American Journalist Austin Tice May Have Been Moved From Syria to Iran” was posted at breitbart.com on May 7, 2026.

### **Iran's intentions – are clear**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Bill Siegel titled “The Real Iran Threat Is in Black and White: It’s Even in Their Constitution” was posted at foxnews.com on April 19, 2026. (The 1979 document outlines a global totalitarian vision that tells us exactly who the regime is and what it seeks.)

### **And yet – Obama provided the path for nukes to them**

- Looking back to July 2015, an article by Richard A. Epstein titled “Obama’s Disastrous Iran Deal” was posted at hoover.org on July 20, 2015.
- Looking back to July 2015, an article by Marc A. Thiessen titled “Obama’s Secret Iran Deals Exposed” was posted at washingtonpost.com on July 27, 2015.
- Looking back to August 2015, a press release titled “President Obama’s Iran Deal Falls Woefully Short” was posted at house.gov on Aug. 5, 2015.
- Looking back to January 2016, an article by Mortimer B. Zuckerman titled “A Bad Deal Off to a Worse Start” was posted at usnews.com on Jan. 21, 2016.
- Looking back to May 2017, an article by Emily B. Landau titled “Obama’s Legacy, a Nuclear Iran?” was posted at meforum.org on May 24, 2017.
- Looking back to June 2018, an article by Marc A. Thiessen titled “Obama Took Lying to New Heights With Iran Deal” was posted at aei.org on June 9, 2018.

### **Trump has consistently seen the problem for 20 years – no nukes**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Brian T. Kennedy titled “In His Own Words: Trump Has Been Saying Iran Can’t Have Nukes for 20 Years” was posted at thefederalist.com on April 9, 2026.

### **Which war will end first? – Ukraine war or Iran war?**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Kathryn Watson titled “Trump Speaks With Putin, Says He Isn’t Sure Whether Ukraine War or Iran War Will End First” was posted at cbsnews.com on April 29, 2026.

### **Russia-Ukraine war – general news**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Anna Ahronheim titled “Ukraine Claims to Have Intercepted 30,000 Drones in March” was posted at jpost.com on April 29, 2026.

- An article by Louis Casiano titled “Trump Announces Surprise Three-Day Cease-Fire in Russia-Ukraine War” was posted at foxnews.com on May 8, 2026.

### **Comments about China – general**

- An article by Gabrielle Fahmy titled “Commie-nator: Ex-Harvard Scientist [Charles Lieber] Defects to China to Help Build Army of A.I. Super Soldiers” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.

### **Al Gore – thinks you won’t notice his many previous failed prophecies**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Ezra Dulis titled “Al Gore Warns ‘The Day After Tomorrow’ Ice Age Could Happen in 25 Years – 10 Years After ‘Inconvenient Truth’ Prophecies Failed” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 25, 2026.

### **United Kingdom**

- An article by Staff titled “UK’s Starmer Suggests Banning Gaza Protests in Wake of Anti-Jewish Terror Attack” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Oliver JJ Lane titled “Farage Kills the Two Party System: Reform Dominates in ‘British Midterms’ – Taking Seats From Both Left and Right” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 8, 2026.
- An article by Leif Le Mahieu titled “Pastor [in Northern Ireland] Convicted for Preaching on John 3:16 Outside Hospital” was posted at DailyWire.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Chris Bradford titled “UK Supermarket Worker Fired for Tackling Prolific Thief Hours After He Performed CPR on Store Security Guard” was posted at nypost.com on May 8, 2026.

### **London marathon – under two hours**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Dylan Gwinn titled “Sabastian Sawe Becomes First Man to Finish Marathon in Under 2 Hours” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 26, 2026.

### **Germany – U.S. withdraws troops**

- An article by Breccan F. Thies titled “Trump to Pull 5,000 Troops Out of Germany After Merz Inaction in Iran War” was posted at TheFederalist.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Ward Clark titled “Germany Urges New Boost From Europe on Its Own Defense After Trump Pulls US Troops” was posted at RedState.com on May 2, 2026.

- An article by Nicholas Ballasy titled “Trump Says More Than 5,000 U.S. Troops Will Leave Germany: ‘Going to Cut Way Down’ ” was posted at justthenews.com on May 3, 2026.

### **Germany – Russia hacking German officials?**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Ronny Reyes titled “Russia Suspected of Sweeping Signal Hack Attack on German Officials” was posted at nypost.com on April 26, 2026.

### **Copacabana beach**

- Looking back to May 2024, an article by Staff titled “Madonna’s Biggest-Ever Concert Transforms Rio’s Copacabana Beach Into Massive Dance Floor for 1.6 Million People” was posted at nypost.com on May 5, 2024.
- Looking back to May 2025, an article by Staff titled “Lady Gaga Rocks Brazil’s Copacabana Beach With Free Concert for More Than 2 Million Fans” was posted at nypost.com on May 4, 2025.
- An article by Staff titled “Shakira Thrills a Crowd of 2 Million With Free Concert on Brazil’s Copacabana Beach” was posted at nypost.com on May 3, 2026.

### **Hantavirus**

- An article by Staff titled “Cruise Ship With Hantavirus Outbreak Heads to Canary Islands After 3 Are Evacuated” was posted at apnews.com on May 6, 2026.

### **International news – miscellaneous**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by John Hayward titled “Turkey Bans Social Media for Children Under 15” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 24, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Push [by Canada] to Recruit Migrant Into Military Ends in Disaster” was posted at thenationalpulse.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Eric Mack titled “Rubio to Visit Italy, Vatican Amid Troop Drawdown Call, Tension With Trump and Pope Leo: Reports” was posted at foxnews.com on May 3, 2026.



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## **U.S. debt**

- An article by Therese Boudreaux titled “U.S. Debt Tops 100% of GDP, ‘Deeply Troubling’ for Economy, National Security” was posted at justthenews.com on May 2, 2026.

## **U.S. economy – mixed signals**

- An article by Ireland Owens titled “Voters Now Trust Democrats More Than GOP on Economy Due to Iran War” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Andrew Moran titled “U.S. Economy Adds 115,000 Jobs in April, Beating Estimates” was posted at theepochtimes.com on May 8, 2026.

## **Is Trump losing massive Republican support?**

- An article by Pam Key titled “CNN’s [Harry] Enten: It’s a ‘Myth’ That Trump Is Losing Support Among Republicans” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 7, 2026.

## **Some conservative news outlets – warn that oil prices may stay high for a while**

- An article by Nick Naulty titled “Americans May Be Stuck Paying Wartime Gas Prices Long After Iran Deal” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 7, 2026. (The author wrote: “Even if oil prices drop due to a peace deal, gas prices tend to lag because stations are still selling higher-cost fuel bought when prices were elevated. The war has also damaged oil infrastructure across the Middle East, creating another obstacle to restoring pre-war prices.”)

## **Fraud – Southern Poverty Law Center funneling money to extremist groups**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “Flashback: SPLC Put Christian Neurosurgeon Dr. Ben Carson on Extremist List” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 24, 2026.
- An article by Nicholas Giorgano titled “SPLC Indictment Shows Partisan Activists Were Running the FBI Domestic Terror Program” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 4, 2026.

## **Gerrymandering in Virginia – Virginia Supreme Court strike’s down gerrymandering**

- Looking back to April 2026, a video titled “Democrats Turn on Spanberger Over Plummeting Popularity Amid Redistricting Battle” was posted at youtube.com on April 17, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Alec Schemmel titled “Virginia Court Declares State’s Redistricting Vote Was Unconstitutional in Legal Win for Republicans” was posted at foxnews.com on April 22, 2026.



- Looking back to Ryan King titled “Virginia’s Top Court Pounds Democrats Over Redistricting Move Called ‘Blatant Power Grab’ ” was posted at nypost.com on April 27, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Virginia Redistricting Referendum Is in Limbo as Legal Challenges Proceed” was posted at baltimoresun.com on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Jackson Richman titled “Virginia Supreme Court Strikes Down New Congressional Map That Favors Democrats” was posted at theepochtimes.com on May 8, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Virginia Supreme Court Strikes Down Gerrymandered Maps in ‘Massive’ Loss for Democrats’ Attempt to Take 4 More House Seats” was posted at nypost.com on May 8, 2026.
- A post by Rich Lowry titled “One of the More Hilarious Face-Plants in Recent Political History – Spanberger Managed to Disgrace Herself and Fail While Doing It All in Record Time” was posted at x.com on May 8, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “ ‘Justice’: Celebration, Mockery Erupt After Spanberger ‘Gerrymander’ Is Blown Up in Blockbuster Decision” was posted at wfin.com on May 8, 2026.
- An article by Jonathan Turley titled “Virginia’s Gerrymander Flop Leaves Democrats Frustrated – and Dangerous” was posted at nypost.com on May 8, 2026.

### **Gerrymandering in California**

- An article by Derek Vanduskirk titled “California County Discovers Nearly 600 Uncounted Mail-In Ballots Months After Redistricting Vote” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 8, 2026.

### **Supreme Court – rules against race-based gerrymandering in Louisiana**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Shawn Fleetwood titled “ ‘Resurrecting Jim Crow’: Democrats Melt Down After SCOTUS Eviscerates Racial Gerrymandering” was posted at thefederalist.com on April 30, 2026.
- An article by Curtis Hill titled “SCOTUS Ruling Against Race-Based Gerrymandering Reaffirms America’s Colorblind Constitution” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Democrats Revive Court-Packing Threats After Being Told They Can’t Do Racist Gerrymandering” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “SCOTUS Decision Striking Down Racial Gerrymandering Shows Alito Plays the Long Game” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026.

- An article by Pam Key titled “Eric Holder: We’re at the Beginning of a ‘Modern Jim Crow Era’ ” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 7, 2026.

### **Dangerous rhetoric – WHCD shooting**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Harold Hutchison titled “Obama [Foolishly] Thinks Would-Be Trump Assassin’s Motive Is Mystery Wrapped in an Enigma” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an editorial by Staff titled “How Many Times Must Trump Be Targeted Before the Left Quits Radicalizing People?” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “WHCD Shooting Suspect Cole Allen’s Brother Called Police About Anti-Trump Manifesto” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Alex Oliveira titled “Who Are ‘The Wide Awakes’ Leftist Group That WHCD Suspect Cole Allen Was Supposedly a Part Of?” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “WHCA Shooter Is ‘No Kings’ Protester With Anti-Christian Manifesto” was posted at [thenationalpulse.com](https://www.thenationalpulse.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Isaac Schorr titled “Obama’s Gaffe About WHCD Shooter Cole Allen Is Just the Latest in the Former President’s Legacy of Lies” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled “[Bill] Maher: WHCD Shooter Wasn’t Insane, He Just Listened to Social and Mainstream Media” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Kristine Parks titled “Daniel Baldwin Accuses Jimmy Kimmel of Fueling ‘Hatred’ Toward Trump After White House Dinner Shooting” was posted at [foxnews.com](https://www.foxnews.com) on May 4, 2026.

### **Dangerous rhetoric – by leftists**

- Looking back to April 2026, a video titled “Jimmy Kimmel Fantasized About Trump’s Death on ABC Days Before Third Assassination Attempt” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Glenn H. Reynolds titled “Democrats’ Rants Confirm Their Enemies List Is Serious Business” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on April 28, 2026.

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Jasmyn Jordan titled “Poll: 38% Say Murder of Trump Would Be at Least Somewhat Justified, 56% Among Left-of-Center Respondents” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Alec Schemmel titled “ ‘Needs to Resign’: California Vice Mayor [Larry Lang] Ripped After Commenting ‘86 47’ on State GOP’s Online Post” was posted at [foxnews.com](https://www.foxnews.com) on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Eddie Scarry titled “Here’s How the Media Are Lying Right Now: NY Times Writer [Janelle Bouie] Claims Democrats Don’t Use Violent Rhetoric” was posted at [thefederalist.com](https://www.thefederalist.com) on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Brianna Lyman titled “Media, Other Democrats Invite More Left-Wing Violence by Making Excuses for Killers They Agree With” was posted at [thefederalist.com](https://www.thefederalist.com) on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Pam Key titled “JB Pritzker: Trump ‘Has Set a Tone Where Political Violence Is Okay’ ” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Nick Arama titled “Obama’s Effort to Attack Trump on Weaponization Accidentally Backfires on Him” was posted at [redstate.com](https://www.redstate.com) on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Olivia D’ Angelo titled “The Places [American Colleges and Universities] Turning American Kids Into Domestic Terrorists” was posted at [dailywire.com](https://www.dailywire.com) on May 7, 2026.

### **Dangerous behavior – by leftists**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Eric Utter titled “The Do-Nothing Republican Congress, the New Jacobins and the Coming Democrat Reign of Terror” was posted at [americanthinker.com](https://www.americanthinker.com) on April 21, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Monica Showalter titled “And Sure Enough, the Lunatic Left Weighs In on the Third Attempted Assassination of President Trump” was posted at [americanthinker.com](https://www.americanthinker.com) on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “Debunked! Most Political Violence Does Not (in Fact) Come From the Right” was posted at [dailywire.com](https://www.dailywire.com) on April 28, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “James Comey Indicted for Alleged Threats Against Trump: DOJ” was posted at [foxnews.com](https://www.foxnews.com) on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Joseph Chalfant titled “This Oklahoma Man Who Threatened to Kill ICE Agents Is Going to Face Serious Jail Time” was posted at [townhall.com](https://www.townhall.com) on May 2, 2026.

- An article by Staff titled “Radical Students Hold Cornell President Hostage in Car After Israel Debate Clash” was posted at nypost.com on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Hanna Panreck titled “Mark Hamill Posts Photo Depicting Dead Trump Just Days After Assassination Attempt” was posted at foxnews.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Mary Rooke titled “Far-Left Candidate [Nithya Raman] Thinks She Fooled Conservative Candidate [Spencer Pratt] – She Really Proved Democrats Love Violence” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 7, 2026.

### **Dangerous behavior – disrupting church**

- An article by Staff titled “Mob of Teens Storms Times Square Scientology Church Amid Viral ‘Speed Running’ Trend” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.

### **Birthright citizenship**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Nicole Silverio titled “Jonathan Turley Says It’s ‘Insane’ [That] U.S. Is One of the Few Countries With Birthright Citizenship” was posted at dailycaller.com on April 2, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “Woke Making Comeback: New York Times Glorifies Anchor Babies From Illegal Alien Criminals” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Ben Whedon titled “Rand Paul Introduces Amendment to End Birthright Citizenship” was posted at justthenews.com on April 30, 2026.

### **Voting integrity – most Americans support requiring photo ID to vote**

- Looking back to March 2026, an article by Sahil Kapur titled “Most Americans Support Requiring Photo ID to Vote – Democrats in Congress Reject It” was posted at NBCNews.com on March 17, 2026.

### **Voting integrity**

- An article by Jennifer O’Connell titled “Democrat Socialist LA City Council Members Push Plan to Let ‘Non-Citizens’ Vote” was posted at redstate.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Nicole Silverio titled “Only Spencer Pratt Was Willing to Give Straight Answer on Illegals Voting During LA Mayor Debate” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 7, 2026.

## **Illegal immigration – general comments**

- Looking back to January 2026, an article by Mark Hemingway titled “Anti-ICE Activists’ Goal Isn’t Stopping Violence – It’s Ending All Immigration Enforcement” was posted at thefederalist.com on Jan. 15, 2026.
- An article by Sarah Rumpf-Whitten titled “Haitian Illegal Immigrant (Who Fatally Beat Florida Store Clerk With Hammer) Will Face the Death Penalty” was posted at foxnews.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Brandon Cruz titled “Illegal Immigrants Stole \$1.2 Million in Apple Tech Outside Long Island Mall: Feds” was posted at nypost.com on May 7, 2026.

## **Obamacare fraud**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “Government Watchdog: Obamacare Medicare ‘Innovation’ Center Wasted Over \$5 Billion” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 30, 2026.
- An article by Ireland Owens titled “As Obama’s Healthcare Crown Jewel Implodes, Americans Foot the Bill” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 8, 2026.

## **Minnesota fraud**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “‘Quality Learning Center’ and 20 Other Minnesota Daycares Raided by FBI as Part of Massive Fraud Investigation” was posted at nypost.com on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Gabrielle Fahmy titled “Ilhan Omar’s Name Came Up Six Times in \$250 Million Fraud Case – After She Loosened Oversight of Fed Funded Food Programs” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Aldgra Fredly titled “Minnesota Judge Rules DOJ May Use Military Lawyers in Civil Prosecution” was posted at theepochtimes.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Ari Hoffman titled “Welfare Fraud Has Blue States Rushing – to Shield the Fraudsters” was posted at nypost.com on May 6, 2026.

## **Spirit Airlines**

- An article by Lowell Cauffiel titled “Spirit Airlines Abruptly Ends Operations, Strands Passengers: ‘All Flights Have Been Cancelled’ ” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.

- A video and an article by Elizabeth Weibel titled “2023 Video: Buttigieg Brags About Helping Kill Spirit Airlines, Jetblue Merger” were posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Hayden Cunningham titled “[Transportation Secretary] Sean Duffy Blasts Elizabeth Warren for Opposing Merger That Would Have Saved Spirit Airlines” was posted at [thepostmillennial.com](https://www.thepostmillennial.com) on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Joseph Chalfant titled “Elizabeth Warren Killed Spirit Airlines and Now She’s Complaining About It” was posted at [townhall.com](https://www.townhall.com) on May 2, 2026.

### **Lithium surprise**

- Looking back to March 2026, an article by Sean Hustedde titled “Appalachian States Angle for Energy Dominance as Affordability Wars Rage” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on March 31, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “Quantitative Mineral Resource Assessment of Lithium Pegmatite Deposits in the Northern Appalachian Orogen, USA” was posted at [link.springer.com](https://link.springer.com) on April 18, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, a press release titled “Lithium in Eastern States Could Replace Imports for a Century or More” was posted at [usgs.gov](https://www.usgs.gov) on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Benjamin Roberts titled “What Nobody Will Tell You About the Massive Lithium Find Buried Deep in Appalachia [Long-Standing Regulations and Red Tape Could Thwart the Effort to Extract the Lithium]” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on May 6, 2026.

### **Which political party has the kings?**

- Looking back to February 2026, an article by Eric W. Dolan titled “Left-Wing Authoritarians Use Egotistical Social Tactics More Often” was posted at [psypost.org](https://www.psypost.org) on Feb. 23, 2026.

### **Notice the obvious – elites in the Democrat party have chosen their candidates since 2016**

- Looking back to October 2024, an article by Nick Hart titled “When Was the Last Time the Democrats Had a Primary That Was Actually Democratic?” was posted at [medium.com](https://www.medium.com) on Oct. 5, 2024. (For at least the last 3 general elections, Democrats haven’t allowed their own base to choose their candidate.)

In 2016, the Democrat elites convinced Bernie Sanders to step aside.

In 2020, the Democrat elites convinced opponents to Joe Biden to step aside.

In 2024, the Democrat elites forced Joe Biden to withdraw.

In 2024, the Democrat elites picked Kamala Harris without a single vote.

## **Examples of anti-Semitism**

- An article by Staff titled “Hateful Anti-Israel Mob Descends on Historic NYC Synagogue, Clashes With Cops in Rowdy Protest” was posted at nypost.com on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “Violent Attacks on Jewish Americans Reached a Record High in 2025; Report Finds” was posted at nypost.com on May 6, 2026.

## **Covid – general comments**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Kevin Killough titled “Former Fauci Adviser David Morens Charged for Allegedly Covering Up Covid-19 Records” was posted at justthenews.com on April 28, 2026.
- An article by Scott McClallen titled “California Man Sentenced to 12 Years for \$59 Million Covid Unemployment Fraud Scheme” was posted at townhall.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Jack Phillips titled “Tens of Millions of Taxpayers May Be Owed IRS Refunds From Pandemic Era: Watchdog” was posted at theepochtimes.com on May 3, 2026.

## **Pro-life**

- Looking back to May 2023, an article by Mansur Shaheen titled “[Massachusetts] Doctors Perform World-First Brain Surgery on Baby With Deadly Genetic Disorder While It Is Still Inside It’s Mom’s Uterus” was posted at dailymail.co.uk on May 4, 2023.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Jordan Boyd titled “SCOTUS Confirms First Amendment Protects Pregnancy Center Donors From Nousey Abortion States” was posted at thefederalist.com on April 29, 2026.
- An article by Misty Severi titled “Appeals Court Temporarily Blocks Access to Mail-Order Abortion Drugs” was posted at justthenews.com on May 1, 2026.

## **Pro-abortion – Samuel Alito described how 3 justices delayed 2022 abortion ruling**

- An article describing a book released in April by Mollie Hemingway titled “Alito: The Justice Who Reshaped the Supreme Court and Restored the Constitution” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Maisey Jefferson titled “Media Blackout on Bombshell Alito Reporting [That Justices Breyer, Kagan and Sotomayor] Delayed the Dobbs Ruling for Three Months] Shows They Couldn’t Hate the Constitution More” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026.

- An article by Will Upton titled “ ‘Trivial, Baseless and Insulting’: Justice Alito Tears Into Ketanji Brown Jackson” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on May 5, 2026.

### **Transgender – general**

- An article by Breccan F. Thies titled “Doctors Can Fraudulently Code ‘Trans’ Child Genital Mutilation to Bypass Bans: Report” was posted at [thefederalist.com](https://www.thefederalist.com) on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Francis Kapper titled “Air Force Document Appeared to Reassure Medical Staff They Couldn’t Be Sued for Sex Changes on Minors [During the Biden Administration]” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on May 6, 2026.

### **Comments – about defunding the police**

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

### **Disney**

- An article by Ross O’Keefe titled “Disney Breaks Silence After Staff Dragged Off Cruise Ship as Part of Massive Child Porn Sting” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Jerome Hudson titled “Disney Does Damage Control After Several Staffers Arrested on Cruise Ship in Massive Child Porn Sting” was posted at [breitbart.com](https://www.breitbart.com) on May 7, 2026.

### **Families fleeing – high-tax cities**

- An article by Joshua Q. Nelson titled “Americans Continue Voting With Their Feet as High-Tax Cities Struggle to Recover” was posted at [foxnews.com](https://www.foxnews.com) on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Virginia Kruta titled “Escape From New York: Mamdani’s Cash Cows Already Seeking Greener Pastures” was posted at [dailywire.com](https://www.dailywire.com) on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Staff titled “NY Leaders Desperately Try to Stop Billionaire Bigs From Fleeing City Over Mamdani” was posted at [nypost.com](https://www.nypost.com) on May 8, 2026.

### **California – billionaire tax**

- Looking back to November 2025, a press release titled “The ‘2026 Billionaire Tax Act’ ” was posted at [oag.ca.gov](https://oag.ca.gov) on Nov. 24, 2025.



- Looking back to February 2026, an article by Michael R. Blood titled “[Bernie] Sanders and [Gavin] Newsom Clash Over Proposed Tax on California’s Billionaires” was posted at pbs.org on Feb. 18, 2026.
- Looking back to March 2026, an article by Zain Khan titled “Mass Exodus From Los Angeles Revealed in Shocking New Figures” was posted at nypost.com on March 30, 2026.
- Looking back to March 2026, an article by Nina Joudeh titled “Sky-High Housing Costs Pushing Residents Out of California – Only to Finally Afford the American Dream Elsewhere” was posted at nypost.com on March 31, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Titus Wu titled “Mass Exodus From California Is Driven by Poorer People – Now They’re Thriving” was posted at nypost.com on April 21, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Nina Joudeh titled “California Becomes Playground for the Wealthy as Families Flee” was posted at nypost.com on April 24, 2026.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled “Newsom: I Oppose Billionaire Tax, ‘We’re Already Seen Dozens and Dozens of People Leave’ ” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Ross O’Keefe titled “California’s Population Plummets for First Time Since the Pandemic – as LA Sees Staggering Exodus [With More Than 50,000 Leaving the Golden State Last Year]” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026. (The California Department of Finance reported a decline to 39,593,000 total residents, which “marks the first year of population loss after three consecutive years of population increases following the Covid-19 pandemic.”)

### **Gavin Newsom – is born connected**

- Looking back to September 2018, an article by Seema Mehta titled “How Eight Elite San Francisco Families Funded Gavin Newsom’s Political Ascent [Newsom Wasn’t Born Rich, but He Was Born Connected]” was posted at latimes.com on Sept. 7, 2018.
- An article by Piece Sharpe titled “Bill Maher Drags Gavin Newsom for High-Speed Rail and Sky-High Gas in Blistering Interview” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Josh Koehn titled “Gavin Newsom Torn to Shreds Over His Report on California’s Population: ‘He’s Blatantly Lying’ ” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by the CA Post Editorial Board titled “Gavin Newsom’s Truth Decay” was posted at nypost.com on May 3, 2026.

- An article by Staff titled “California Democrats Double-Down on Policies Already Bankrupting State” was posted at breitbart.com on May 7, 2026.

- An article by Staff titled “California Considers Declaring Muslim Holy Days as Holidays” was posted at breitbart.com on May 7, 2026.

### **Is Jennifer Siebel Newsom a new secret weapon to save the day?**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Alec Schemmel titled “Newsom’s Wife Lashes Out at Trump After He Rips ‘60 Minutes’ Host: ‘Internalized Misogyny’ ” was posted at foxnews.com on April 27, 2026.

- An article by Finya Swai titled “As 2028 Looms, Jennifer Siebel Newsom Faces Increased Conservative Attacks” was posted at politico.com on May 6, 2026.

### **Eric Swalwell – people remember his involvement with Fang Fang**

- Looking back to December 2020, an article by Staff titled “Suspected Chinese Spy [Fang Fang or Christine Fang] Targeted California Politicians [‘Among the Most Significant Targets of Fang’s Effort was Rep. Eric Swalwell’]” was posted at axios.com on Dec. 8, 2020.

### **Eric Swalwell – people covered for him until they turned on him in a hurry**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Miranda Devine titled “Eric Swalwell’s Fall From Grace Was by Design – and So Democrats Can Keep Their Grubby Hands on California” was posted at nypost.com on April 15, 2026.

### **Are the current California gubernatorial candidates better than Swalwell?**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Staff titled “California Governor Candidate Tom Steyer Suggests ICE by Put ‘In Jail’ ” was posted at breitbart.com on April 25, 2026.

### **Kamala Harris**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by John Nolte titled “Harris Jumps to 28-Point Lead Over Newsom in 2028 [Harvard-Harris] Primary Poll” was posted at breitbart.com on April 28, 2026.

### **Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez**

- Looking back to June 2018, an article by Jennie Neufeld titled “Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez Is a Democratic Socialist of America Member – Here’s What That Means” was posted at vox.com on June 27, 2018.

- Looking back to February 2025, an article by Lindsay Kornick titled “AOC Tells Voters Worried About Grocery Prices to Just ‘Wait Until the Farms Are Empty’ From Deportations” was posted at foxnews.com on Feb. 6, 2025
- A video and an article by Jacob Bryant titled “AOC Says Billionaires Create a Myth: ‘You Can’t Earn \$1 Billion’ ” were posted at thewrap.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by CJ Womack titled “AOC Doubles Down on ‘Myth’ of Earning a Billion Dollars, Claims Fortunes Are Built on ‘Abuse’ ” was posted at foxnews.com on May 7, 2026.
- An article by Samuel Chamberlain titled “AOC Mocked After She Claims No One Can ‘Earn a Billion Dollars’: ‘Her Entire Salary Is Stolen From People’ ” was posted at nypost.com on May 8, 2026.

### **Zohran Mamdani**

- An article by Amy Furr titled “Report: Pro-China Billionaire Funded NYC’s May Day Events Where Zohran Mamdani Pushed Taxing the Rich” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Charles Gasparino titled “Ron DeSantis Brands NYC Mayor Zohran Mamdani ‘Realtor of the Year’ for Driving [New York] Taxpayers to Florida” was posted at nypost.com on May 4, 2026.

### **Katie Wilson**

- An article by Jeff Charles titled “Seattle’s Socialist Mayor [Katie Wilson] Has One Word for High-Earners Fleeing the City [‘Bye’]” was posted at townhall.com on May 2, 2026.

### **Graham Platner in Maine**

- An article by Jay Stahl titled “[Mayor] Janet Mills Suspends Maine Senate Campaign and Makes Way for [Graham] Platner” was posted at usatoday.com on April 30, 2026.
- An article by Ian Hanchett titled “[John] Fetterman: [Graham] Platner Part of ‘Small Communist Takeover’ in Maine, Democrats Can’t Resist ‘Worst Impulses’ ” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Lindsay Kornick titled “Maine Democrat Graham Platner Promises He’ll Be ‘Arrested’ as a Senator If GOP Keeps Control of Chamber” was posted at foxnews.com on May 5, 2026.

## **Ron DeSantis**

- An article by Nicholas Ballasy titled “[Florida Governor Ron] DeSantis Says Signed Bill ‘Provides for the Decertification of Partisan Teacher Unions’ ” was posted at justthenews.com on May 2, 2026.
- A video and an article by Staff titled “Watch: Trump Praises DeSantis, Leaves Door Open for Administration Role” were posted at rvmnews.com on May 3, 2026.

## **RFK Jr.**

- Looking back to March 2024, an article by Emily Harris titled “Antidepressant Prescriptions for Female Teens Surged After Pandemic” was posted at jamanetwork.com on March 22, 2024.
- An article by Staff titled “RFK Jr. Wants to Wean Some Americans Off Antidepressants” was posted at wsj.com on May 4, 2026.
- An article by Rikki Schlott titled “GenZ’ers on SSRIs [Selective Serotonin Reuptake Inhibitors – the Type of Antidepressant Prescribed Most Often] for Years Are Finally Starting to Question the Risks – and Are Agreeing With RFK Jr.” was posted at nypost.com on May 7, 2026.

## **More Russia-gate**

- An article by Max Bacall titled “Kash Patel Says Russiagate-Linked FBI ‘Burn Bag’ Room Was Missing From Bureau Blueprints” was posted at foxnews.com on May 5, 2026.

## **General interest – news**

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Ashley J. DiMella titled “Trump-Backed Mega Event to Bring All 50 States to DC in World’s Fair-Style Bash [Smithsonian National Carousel Has Been Refurbished for the 16-Day Event Launching on June 25]” was posted at foxnews.com on April 14, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Scott Hogenson titled “The 10 Commandments Are a Threat to Marxism” was posted at townhall.com on April 25, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Amy Furr titled “Texas Rancher: Trump Administration ‘Understands Agriculture . . . Night and Day’ Improvement Over Biden” was posted at Breitbart.com on April 25, 2026.

- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Ashley J. DiMella titled “Trump’s DC Beautification Push Wins Rare Democrat Praise as President Snaps Landmarks Back to Life” was posted at foxnews.com on April 26, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, a press release titled “Presidential Permit: Authorizing Bridger Pipeline Expansion LLC to Construct, Connect, Operate and Maintain Pipeline Facilities at the International Boundary at Phillips County, Montana – Between the United States and Canada” was posted at whitehouse.gov on April 30, 2026.
- Looking back to April 2026, an article by Brianna Lyman titled “New Report Reveals 5 Shocking Examples of Biden DOJ’s Anti-Christian Bias” was posted at thefederalist.com on April 30, 2026.
  1. Biden’s DOJ ‘operated as an enforcement arm for abortion NGO’s
  2. Biden administration withheld evidence for pro-lifers
  3. Biden administration tried to exclude “culty” christian jurors
  4. Biden DOJ pursued “severe charges” & “harsher sentences” for pro-lifers
  5. Biden IRS investigated churches who aligned with conservative views
- An article by Nicole Silverio titled “Alex Jones’ Infowars Officially Shuts Down After 27 Years” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Mark Mazman titled “Here’s How Trump Should Let Middle-Class Americans in On the Private Equity Bonanza” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 1, 2026. (He could encourage allowing Americans to use their 401-K plans for private investments.)
  - Real estate
  - Private equity funds
  - Digital assets like crypto-currency
  - Non-public companies
  - Private debt offerings
- An article by Dylan Gwinn titled “NFL Draft Viewership Crashes by Double Digits [Dropping From 7.5 Million Viewers Last Year to 6.6 Million Viewers This Year]” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 1, 2026.
- An article by Roderick Law titled “Biden’s Ill-Advised Rule Against Critical Minerals Mining Is Finally Gone” was posted at townhall.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Melissa Rudy titled “Faith Drives Man to Help Another Through Mental Health Crisis in Dramatic Life-or-Death Scene” was posted at foxnews.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Rusty Weiss titled “Not Even [NASCAR Team Owner] Michael Jordan Can Convince Stephen A. Smith That NASCAR Drivers Are Real Athletes” was posted at sportnaut.com on May 2, 2026.

- An article by David Spector titled “Navy SEAL [Robert O’Neill] Who Killed Bin Laden [With 3 Shots in the Head] 15 Years Ago Today Recalls the Mission and the 9/11 Motivation: ‘I Just Shot the [Expletive] in the Face’ ” was posted at nypost.com on May 2, 2026.
- An article by Rhonda Thomas titled “Instead of Reading and Math, Teachers Are Grading Kids on Personality and Emotions” was posted at thefederalist.com on May 4, 2026.
- An article by Awr Hawkins titled “Alleged Car-Jacker Shot Dead by Father [in Garland, Texas] While Trying to Steal Vehicle With Family Inside” was posted at Breitbart.com on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Eric Revell titled “[Cornerstone] University [in Grand Rapids, Michigan] Lets Students Earn Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees Entirely on Their Phone” was posted at foxbusiness.com on May 5, 2026.
- An article by Andrew Powell titled “Mississippi Tornadoes Destroy 400 Homes, Injure at Least 17 People” was posted at dailycaller.com on May 7, 2026.



An article by Michael Dorstewitz titled “Thomas Jefferson Is Smiling Down on the Supreme Court Today” was posted at newsmax.com on May 1, 2026. Following is the article.



The U.S. Supreme Court ruled 6-3 Wednesday in a case titled Louisiana v. Callais that racial gerrymandered congressional districts are impermissible.

The court’s decision may have unintentionally echoed a famous phrase penned by Thomas Jefferson 250 years ago.

Sen. Ted Cruz, a Texas Republican and a constitutional scholar, explained that the court ruled that racial gerrymandering is unconstitutional under “the 14th Amendment that ensures that all persons in the United States are entitled to equal protection of the laws, and also the 15th Amendment which protects the right to vote regardless of race.”

The Babylon Bee, a humor-driven satirical “news” site with the motto, "Fake News You Can Trust," may have latched onto the most accurate headline when “reporting” the high court’s decision.

Their headline read, “In Blow To Democrats, SCOTUS Rules They Have To Stop Being Racist.”

And just as they reported, Democrats took the decision hard, beginning with the divider-in-chief, former President Barack Obama, whose eight years in the White House were spent turning every event in America into a racial issue.

“Today’s Supreme Court decision effectively guts a key pillar of the Voting Rights Act, freeing state legislatures to gerrymander legislative districts to systematically dilute and weaken the voting power of racial minorities — so long as they do it under the guise of partisanship’ rather than explicit ‘racial bias,’ ” he began.

In actuality, the high court condemned the very practice that Obama is now also condemning — gerrymandering.

Chief Justice John Roberts described the 200-plus-mile-long Louisiana congressional district under review as a “snake” — one that connected Black neighborhoods in the cities of Shreveport, Alexandria, Lafayette and Baton Rouge.

“That map is an unconstitutional gerrymander,” Justice Samuel Alito wrote in the majority opinion of the court, which affirmed a ruling from a lower federal court that barred the state from using the racially gerrymandered map.

Moreover, CNN regular Scott Jennings observed that just a few weeks earlier, Obama was in Virginia campaigning to gerrymander the commonwealth’s Republican members of Congress nearly into extinction — from 6D / 5R to 10D / 1R. Jennings concluded, “Must be exhausting to be for gerrymandering one week and against it the next.”

Obama continued, “And it serves as just one more example of how a majority of the current Court seems intent on abandoning its vital role in ensuring equal participation in our democracy and protecting the rights of minority groups against majority overreach.”

But that’s exactly what the high court did: it insured equal, not lopsided, participation.

Sen. Raphael Warnock, a Georgia Democrat and a pastor, also blasted the decision, and invoked the memory of the late civil rights icon, Rev. Martin Luther King Jr.

“Trump’s Supreme Court has gutted the protections that Dr. King marched for,” he began. “The protections made possible by civil rights protestors who spilled blood in pursuit of a more perfect union.”

Warnock concluded, “This is a devastating and profound step backwards for American Democracy.”

- First of all, it's not “Trump's Supreme Court” — it's America's — and although Trump appointed three of the current justices, he's been disappointed with two of them. Both Justice

Brett Kavanaugh and Amy Comey Barrett turned out to be swing votes rather than true conservatives.

- Second, as pastor of Atlanta's Ebenezer Baptist Church, Warnock should know that King, who served as pastor there from 1960 until his assassination in 1968, didn't seek special treatment for minorities — he sought equal treatment.
- In his famous “I Have a Dream” speech, King said, “I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character.” Simply stated, King sought a color blind society, while Democrats seek a color-conscious society.
- As Sen. Cruz noted, the Supreme Court held that racial gerrymandering violates the Equal Protection Clause of the 14th Amendment to the Constitution.

Thomas Jefferson knew something about equal protection under the law nearly a century before the 14th Amendment was ratified, when he drafted the Declaration of Independence nearly 250 years ago.

- Its most famous line is, “We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal . . . .”
- “All men [and women] are created equal” — no one is “more equal” than another on the basis of skin color, a concept that King fought and was assassinated for.

And now Democrats want to take us back to a time when Americans were treated unequally.



An article by John Fetterman titled “I Haven’t Changed. Here’s What Has” was posted at [washingtonpost.com](https://www.washingtonpost.com) on May 7, 2026. Following is the article.

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Many might not know, but I won my first race by a single vote to be mayor of Braddock, a small steel town — one of the poorest in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania — where 90 percent of the population has left. It was a forgotten community.

I wasn’t interested in playing political games. I wanted to help deliver change. It wasn’t about being a Democrat or Republican, but about making sure places such as Braddock received the benefits, focus and investments they deserved for their contributions to this great country.



As a U.S. senator, I still believe in that principle. It doesn't matter if my colleague is in my party or across the aisle. My focus remains on working together to find wins and deliver for my constituents. And though I was elected as a Democrat, I'm proud to serve all Pennsylvanians.

It has become increasingly lonely to serve in that way, but I firmly believe it's what is needed.

My party cannot simply be the opposite of whatever President Donald Trump says. The president could come out for ice cream and lazy Sundays, and my party would suddenly hate them. Such pointless pile-ons and attacks are unproductive. The American people want us to work together to find solutions on issues they and our country face.

It wasn't long ago when Democrats wanted a secure border.

- I voted on an immigration bill in 2024 to make sure an influx the size of Pittsburgh doesn't come through the border like it did under the previous administration.
- I have co-sponsored legislation to stop the flow of fentanyl.
- I was the lead Democrat on the Laken Riley Act, and I strongly believe that someone who comes here illegally and commits a violent crime should be deported.

It wasn't long ago when Democrats believed shutting our government down was wrong and put American livelihoods at risk. I consistently voted to end back-to-back government shutdowns because our Transportation Security Administration agents, our homeland security, our airports and everyday Americans were hurting and should have never been held hostage. I took no pleasure in voting against my party. While the base targeted me for putting the country first, the demand to keep the lights on weighed more heavily than partisan games.

It wasn't long ago when we believed it was crucial to support allies such as Israel against threats to their safety and peace. In the wake of the war in Gaza, Iran-backed Hamas and Hezbollah have ramped up their attempts to dismantle our ally. I remained committed to fully backing the elimination of these terrorists and their leaders.

My party's recent presidential candidates identified Iran as a significant global threat, one that shouldn't be able to acquire a nuclear weapon. They emphasized a view I still hold: that the leading state sponsor of terror should be held to account. I appreciate that this administration acted on the threat Iran and its proxies pose.

These once-common views have become increasingly toxic in the Democratic Party, a result of catering to the fringe and agitated parts of our base. The party is fractured by their demands, heightened after the Gaza war and even more after Trump was elected in 2024. Numerous protesters have followed me around D.C. or shown up at my Braddock home to tell me I'm a traitor simply for voting my conscience.

- Unapologetically standing with Israel and the global Jewish community
- Keeping our government open and our workers paid
- Securing our border
- Stances that were not unusual

My values have not changed, and I have always turned to those kinds of ideals that defined being a Democrat. I remain strongly pro-choice, pro-weed, pro-LGBT, pro-SNAP, pro-labor and even pro-rib-eye over bio slop.

I refuse to cave on my conscience because Pennsylvania deserves someone who is honest and can work across the aisle.

Transportation Secretary Sean P. Duffy and I worked together to unfreeze \$1 billion in federal funding for transportation projects across Pennsylvania.

Sen. Dave McCormick (R-Pennsylvania) and I have delivered hundreds of millions of federal dollars to our state for projects that improve the lives of our 13 million constituents, including \$600 million to rebuild the Delaware River Bridge and improve the Pennsylvania Turnpike.

Sen. Jim Justice (R-West Virginia) and I introduced the Hot Rotisserie Chicken Act to allow Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program recipients to use their benefits to buy hot rotisserie chicken.

Sen. Katie Boyd Britt (R-Alabama) and I have worked together to protect the mental health of kids with our Stop the Scroll Act.

Sen. Cynthia Lummis (R-Wyoming) and I have taken Pennsylvania's wildly successful Whole-Home Repairs Program and introduced a bill to bring it to the national level to keep Americans in their homes.

Being an independent voice that works with the other side to deliver for Pennsylvanians might put me at odds with the party that I have stayed committed to and have no plans to leave — but I will continue to put the commonwealth and the country first.

Plus, I'd be a terrible Republican who still votes overwhelmingly with Democrats.



An article by Victor Davis Hanson titled “The Democratic Party Is Dead, Long Live the Jacobins!” was posted at [dailycaller.com](https://www.dailycaller.com) on May 7, 2026. Following is the article.

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For the past century, the agendas of the Democratic Party were predictable. They professed concern for working Americans and supported blue-collar unions.

Unemployment insurance, a 40-hour work week, disability insurance, and Social Security were their trademarks — often rapidly achieved by growing government bureaucracies and continually raising taxes. Still, many Democrats were socially conservative.

By the 1970s, Democrats still deplored antisemitism. Party officials had rejected their own segregationists to champion civil rights.

Presidents like Franklin Roosevelt, Harry Truman and John F. Kennedy all supported strong defense and military deterrence.

All that is now passe.

The only vestigial Democrat left in Congress is Pennsylvania Sen. John Fetterman, himself roundly despised by Democrat leaders.

Today, supporting Israel and calling for campuses to stop their institutionalized antisemitism is Democratic political suicide.

Forty years ago, any Democrat with a Nazi tattoo was political toast; today, he can become the party's nominee for the Maine Senate race.

So, the current Democrat Party is no longer truly democratic at all. Its new spirit and methods resemble the radical Jacobin Party of the French Revolution. Today, Democrats claim that if any opponent gives a Roman salute, he is a Nazi — while insisting that one of their own with a Nazi tattoo is not.

Jacobinism rejects Martin Luther King Jr.'s emphasis on the "content of . . . character." It instead prefers fixating on "the color of . . . skin."

It aims to divide the nation arbitrarily between the noble oppressed and the toxic oppressors.

So these new Jacobins have institutionalized racially separate college dorms and graduation ceremonies, along with hiring and promoting on the basis of race.

The new Jacobins destroyed the southern border and welcomed in 10-12 million illegal aliens, seen as a future proletariat constituency. Today's Jacobins would now ridicule Bill Clinton's 1990s calls for secure borders and an end to illegal immigration as "fascist" and "racist."

The most recent nihilist developments in American society can be attributed to these Jacobin "Democrats": biological men competing in women's sports; critical legal theory that normalizes

cashless bail; race-based reparations; violent felons arrested and back on the street hours later; radical abortion on demand until birth; attacks on the concept of the cultural “melting pot;” and opposition to organized Christianity.

These agendas lack broad majority support. So street theater and violence focus on Tesla dealerships, ICE officers, conservative campus speakers, and, at times, any journalists covering the unrest.

Jacobins make excuses for pro-Hamas campus violence, which often targets Jewish students. The often violent and corrupt Black Lives Matter movement was a Jacobin ancillary.

Free speech is labeled “disinformation” and “misinformation”—synonyms for not toeing the Jacobin Party line. Until recent pushbacks, near-religious radical green agendas warred against fossil fuels and cost the working classes billions of dollars for sky-high fuel and electricity costs.

Like the Robespierre brothers of old, the most radical Jacobins are so often to be found among the wealthiest and most privileged Americans. Radical New York mayor Zohran Mamdani grew up as a rich Ugandan. Radical, self-described communist Maine senatorial candidate Graham Platner attended one of the most elite and expensive prep schools in the United States.

When avowed socialists Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez and Sen. Bernie Sanders barnstormed the country, they did so via private jets.

Radical “Squad” member Rep. Ilhan Omar cannot decide whether she is worth \$30 million or nothing. Hard-left California billionaire, gubernatorial candidate, and radical environmentalist Tom Steyer is a billionaire who jump-started his fortune by investing in coal plants overseas and offshoring profits to avoid taxes.

At least 10 states are drafting laws to tax the net worth, as well as the income, of “billionaires and millionaires,” apparently for their “social” crimes. Mayor Mamdani taps on the window of philanthropist Ken Griffin as a warning to get out of town. The mayor of Seattle scoffs at the rich leaving her state with their billions due to new punitive taxes, offering a sarcastic “bye.”

In the old days, Democrats were embarrassed by their radicals and distanced themselves from the Weather Underground, Students for a Democratic Society, and the Black Panthers. Today, left-wing bomb throwers are the Democrat Party.

Hasan Piker, another multimillionaire, \$200,000 Porsche-driving communist, has seemingly praised Luigi Mangione’s allegedly targeted murder of UnitedHealthcare CEO Brian Thompson. Piker accused Thompson of “social murder.”

Meanwhile, Jacobins on social media expressed disappointment that all three assassination attempts on Donald Trump failed. The arsonist who burned down Pacific Palisades was a

Mangione acolyte and saw his destruction as a revolutionary act, perhaps a form of mass “social murder.”

Jacobin politicians call for Trump to be “eliminated,” label him as a “fascist,” and call for “any means necessary” to end his presidency. The aim is to lower the social and psychological barrier to violence.

The Jacobin Democrats of today are systematically destroying the legacy of the Democratic Party. And why not?

Their model is not the American Founding, but the radical mandated equality—and violence—of the French Revolution.



Looking back to April 2026, an article by Madison Colombo titled “Dan Bongino Reveals How He Trapped ‘Snakes’ Inside FBI to Stop Media Leaks” was posted at foxnews.com on April 28, 2026. Following is the article.

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Former FBI Deputy Director Dan Bongino has revealed a divide within the agency he helped lead, claiming the bureau is split between agents he views as effective and others he described as “snakes.”

Bongino joined the “Hang Out with Sean Hannity” podcast to discuss his time at the FBI and the internal roadblocks he and FBI Director Kash Patel encountered.

“There were two FBIs trying to help you solve the A, B and C problems, and that's FBI one and FBI two,” Bongino said in the episode released Tuesday.

He explained that half of the bureau consists of agents he felt “honored” to be in the room with, including those working in Violent Crimes Against Children (VCAC) and violent crime fugitive task forces. But on the other side of the FBI, Bongino had a different view.

“And then you had this other FBI,” Bongino said, adding, “which was populated with, to say, unfortunately, ‘snakes’ is being nice.”

He said it was difficult for him and Patel to determine which agents fit each category, noting it was not “always obvious.” He added they sometimes relied on outside sources to vet agents, but those efforts were not always accurate.

“You're trying to figure this out, and you're asking someone for advice, you've only been there a couple weeks, and you don't know if that person is part of the good FBI or the bad FBI,” Bongino said.

“It happened a couple times where they'd say, ‘Oh, you can trust John Smith.’ And you trust John Smith, and then a week later you see a leak in the media and you'd be like, ‘I'm pretty sure that came from John Smith,’ ” he added.

To root out these individuals, Bongino described a tactic he used to identify leakers. He made up an “innocuous” detail about his schedule in hopes it would be leaked. When it appeared in the media, he was able to confront the person with whom he shared it.

“It was like we would play this little game,” Bongino said.

Bongino joined the bureau in March 2025 and left nearly a year later in January 2026. At the time of his appointment, he stated his goal was to restore an agency that was “transparent, accountable, and committed to the rule of law.”

“My promise to you is that I will work tirelessly to help restore integrity, eliminate political bias, and ensure the FBI remains dedicated to its core mission of protecting the United States and upholding the Constitution,” Bongino continued at the time.



An article by Lynn C. Allison titled “How Laughter Boosts Your Health” was posted at [newsmax.com](https://www.newsmax.com) on May 1, 2026. Following is the article.

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A good laugh can do more than lift your spirits — it may also benefit your overall health.

Experts say laughter can help boost the immune system, reduce stress, ease muscle tension, and strengthen social bonds with those around you.

According to Dr. Theresa Wee, medical director of Wee Pediatrics in Hawaii, laughter activates multiple areas of the brain linked to joy, reward, and emotional response. She told KHON2 Honolulu that laughing also helps reduce stress by triggering the release of feel-good hormones known as endorphins.

Wee adds that research suggests laughter may increase immune cells and antibodies, improve blood flow, lower blood pressure, reduce pain, relax muscles, and even burn calories. It can also strengthen relationships by fostering connection, easing tension, and helping diffuse conflict.

Dr. Jacob Teitelbaum, a board-certified internist in Hawaii, says laughter’s healing effects have been recognized for centuries. Proverbs 17:22 in the Bible proclaims, “A cheerful heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit dries the bones.”

“Every doctor has anecdotal evidence that validates this proverbial wisdom,” he says. “The late Norman Cousins, famed author and editor-in-chief at the Saturday Review magazine, healed himself in 1964 of a painful, life-threatening disorder through vitamin C and laughter when conventional medicine offered no relief.

“Cousins watched Marx Brothers movies and reruns of TV’s Candid Camera, among other laugh-inducing programs. His doctors were skeptical, but the patient laughed his way to a successful recovery,” notes Teitelbaum.

For those looking to add more laughter to their daily routine, Wee suggests starting small.

She recommends smiling more often, spending time with positive people, and finding humor in everyday situations. Learning to laugh at yourself or watching comedies can also help bring more moments of joy — and potential health benefits — into your day.



Looking back to August 2013, an article by Ashe Schow titled “24 Things That Require a Photo ID” was posted at [washingtonexaminer.com](http://washingtonexaminer.com) on Aug. 14, 2013. Following are excerpts of the article.

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| 1. Alcohol                              | 13. Adopt a pet                     |
| 2. Cigarettes                           | 14. Rent a hotel room               |
| 3. Opening a bank account               | 15. Apply for a hunting license     |
| 4. Apply for food stamps                | 16. Apply for a fishing license     |
| 5. Apply for welfare                    | 17. Buy a cell phone                |
| 6. Apply for Medicaid/Social Security   | 18. Visit a casino                  |
| 7. Apply for unemployment or a job      | 19. Pick up a prescription          |
| 8. Rent/buy a house; apply for mortgage | 20. Hold a rally or protest         |
| 9. Drive/buy/rent a car                 | 21. Blood donations                 |
| 10. Get on an airplane                  | 22. Buy an “M” rated video game     |
| 11. Get married                         | 23. Purchase nail polish at CVS     |
| 12. Purchase a gun                      | 24. Purchase certain cold medicines |



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