

The four hypocrisies of the apocalypse

"Without hypocrisy the Democratic Party wouldn't have a platform to stand on." I don't recall seeing that quote attributed to anyone so I'm more than happy to claim it as my own. I believe it to be true and that it aptly describes what we're experiencing with the Biden *counter-revolution* to the 'America First' policies of the previous Administration. Heading into the second half-year of his term, President Biden has fulfilled his campaign promises (whether stated or implied) to his Left-wing constituents which involve reversing the gains our country made during the four years of Donald Trump's presidency. He has also lived up to our worst expectations and has shown himself to be a tool of the Progressive wing of the Democratic Party. He has demonstrated, repeatedly, that despite his rhetoric about "bringing us together" he cares little about the 74 million plus people that voted against him nine months ago.

This unity pledge has rung hollow to those of us who counted ourselves among that 46.8% of the popular votes cast last November. Today, the echoes of that pledge sound like nails on a blackboard to anyone who values truth. Without mincing words, Biden and the Democrats that elected him have placed our country in imminent peril through their slavish devotion to a failed ideological view of our history which they claim is that of a flawed nation with a people who are worthy of contempt and condemnation. It matters little whether the Democrats actually *believe* that this view of 'America as an inherently sinful state' is true. It is enough that they are using it to create an autocracy to replace democracy. They are betting their future on becoming the dominant political party in America through the successful use of hypocrisy to ensure future election victories.

"The Democrats didn't invent hypocrisy; they just weaponized it."

Regrettably, this weaponization has become the Democrats' stock in trade and they are committed to using four principal hypocrisies to accomplish their goals. They are:

1. Their pretense of being patriots who love the country and its values but promote the teaching of anti-American theories while condoning anti-democratic behavior
2. Their phony claim of supporting majority rule while encouraging minorities to rebel against the majority's decisions whenever those decisions are contrary to their own orthodoxy
3. Their specious assertion of being guardians of the rights of the individual while advocating *against* the individual's freedom of speech, choice and dissention
4. Their blatant willingness to allow violence to be visited on those of the Right while condemning similar actions against 'their own'

In most open societies, those who engage in hypocritical behavior are called out for its use and held to account for it. The practice of claiming to possess moral standards or beliefs to which one's own behavior does not conform is usually met with public criticism, and in the case of politicians who have resorted to it, they are often rejected at the ballot box. THAT is not the case with the American Left. The use of hypocrisy of the four types mentioned above (and many others) has become the Democratic Party's *preferred* means of presenting and promoting itself and its chosen method of engagement for dealing with the opposition.

"Hypocrisy is not hypocrisy to those who've become accustomed to using it."

Time was when lying and the liars that lied would be made to pay for their lies. The sentries that guarded the parapets protecting the truth were America's institutions, its watchdog media, and the average citizen who not only valued the truth but also understood its importance to relationship-building and for ensuring a healthy political process. We used to work across a linear spectrum starting with mutually-agreed upon needs and moved incrementally towards law-making that

served the best interests of all of us, Republicans and Democrats alike. There was uniformity in our search for unanimity. While we often failed to achieve that unanimity, we did, however, succeed in the *process* of looking for it. That search was buttressed by honest, straightforward dialogue. Granted, there were hidden agendas among those at the negotiating table, but we treated each other civilly, full-well knowing that negotiating in good faith was always preferable to subterfuge. While there was always room left over for public posturing for the cameras, hypocritical actions were never considered a healthy recipe for deal-making.

Somewhere along the way, Democrat politicians took a huge bite of the forbidden fruit of power and decided that embracing hypocrisy was an acceptable price to pay for winning. Now we have all become victims of that hypocrisy and are all suffering equally from a profound lack of trust in one another. No longer is it possible to play a straight-up game of friendly competition using open discourse based on honesty. The Left has chosen the path of morally-absent expediency and of deception. The Democrats' motives are cloaked in duplicity and their methods are steeped in an 'anything's fair' attitude when it comes to solving our country's many problems. Their rhetoric masks their true positions on the burning issues of freedom of speech, of tolerance for opposing viewpoints, of race, of border security, of public health and a host of other critical challenges facing our republic. Their decision to pit Americans against one another and to sow the seeds of animus is endangering all of us. The Left's desire for absolute one-party rule has convinced them that they can only accomplish their mission by destroying any one or any group that dares to disagree with them. This goes doubly for those moderates within their own party who preach the gospel of compromise.

Hypocrisy is the fuel that powers their efforts to rebrand America as a dystopian society that has oppressed the masses and enslaved its people for over two centuries. They are attempting to replicate the Maoist approach of indoctrination by coming for our children with toxic ideas like 'Critical Race Theory' - all in the name of *liberating* us from our abusive slave master past. They are intent on replacing free expression and exchange of ideas with government-sanctioned censorship and are relying on the new language of political correctness to further their ambitions. Theirs is a multi-front war. Not content with brainwashing our children on the stain of their *White privilege*, the Left is also focusing its efforts on 're-educating' our military on their systemic racism and 'reimagining' our judicial system, our country's borders and our law enforcement organizations.

We who prefer truth over the deceitfulness of the Left have a binary choice to make. We can either condemn it when we see it and unmask those who would use it against us or we can allow it to stand, unchecked, and suffer the consequences. There is no middle ground in the quicksand of hypocrisy.

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