HOLY NATION

ISSUE: POLITICIANS- Jesus and Holy Scripture versus the State of Vermont

It is written: "THE EARTH is the Lord's and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it; for he founded it upon the seas and established it upon the waters. Who may ascend the hill of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place?" –Psalm 24:1-3

"To fear the LORD is to hate evil; I hate pride and arrogance, evil behavior and perverse speech." –Proverbs 8:13

"Tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of men in their deceitful scheming." - Ephesians 4:14

"He that rules over men must be just, ruling in the fear of God." -2 Samuel 23:3, KJV

ACCUSATION: Political qualification declares no known defined morals, nor practice any cognizable morals. No religious affiliation declared.

"I recognize no moral law in politics. Politics is a game, in which every sort of trick is permissible, and in which rules are constantly being changed by the players to suit themselves." -Adolf Hitler, Quotationary, Leonard Roy Frank



Politics- factional scheming for

"I don't want to reflect on my fellow politicians, but if every politician that every politician that every politician that every politician of how many we'd have left." -James Jefford, Vermont (USA) Representative [career politician]; -Quote taken after a press conference; Burlington Free Press, year 2000

"There is no morality in politics; there is only expediency." -Vladimir Lenin (Marxist/Communist), speech, September 1915, Quotationary

"Politicians are the lowest form of life on earth. Liberal Democrats are the lowest form of politicians. I really shudder for the future of our country. Someone must not only win the war, but also the peace." -General George S. Patton Jr. -*The Unknown Patton, Charles M. Province*; page 99; ©1983

"Politicians are the only people in the world who create problems and then campaign against them." -Charlie Reese, former columnist of the Orlando Sentinel Newspaper

"Every Communist must grasp the truth, Political power grows out of the end of a barrel."-China leader Mao Zedong

Hegelian Principle.

The principle is simple, consisting of only three steps toward a preconceived goal. Once you are able to see how it works, you may want to analyze many of the events unfolding around you in terms of this principle. As the principle is often used today, it can be explained as:

Step One: Create a problem or conflict - Perceive a problem that exists and build it up out of proportion to its actual importance, or create a problem or conflict where none existed before.

Step Two: Publicize the problem and create opposition to it - Relentlessly place stories about this problem in the major media outlets. Report on it daily until it becomes a steady drumbeat and a truism for the public who then begin clamoring for a solution to this problem.

Step Three: Offer a solution - The best solutions are those that appeal to the emotions of the public and make them think something really good is being done for them, when in fact, something really bad is being done to them. This solution is one that the public never knew it needed until the conditioning of Step Two was successfully completed.

Politics- "Ingenious in devising and pursuing any scheme of personal or national aggrandizement, without regard to the morality* of the measure; cunning; artful; sagacious in adapting means to the end, whether good or evil." -1828 Webster's Dictionary

politics- the use of strategy or intrigue in obtaining power or status. Let us take a real close look at secular (not spiritual/not religious) politics. Taken further it means:

strat-e-gy (strat'i je), n.,pl. -gies, 1. the science or | in.trigue (v.in treg'; also in'treg) v., -trigued, art of planning and directing large-scale military movements and operations. 2. a plan or method |-v.i.| 2. to plot craftily or underhandedly. -n.3. a for achieving a goal. -stra-te-gic (stra te jik). adj stra-te-gi-cal

triguing.n -1. to arouse the curiosity or interest of. crafty of underhanded plot. 4. the act of plotting. 5. a secret love affair. - in.tri'guing.ly. adv.

"The origin of the state is to be found in the development of the art of warfare. Historically speaking, all political communities of the modern type owe their existence to successful warfare." -Wikipedia

"Ideology- the manmade formulations and doctrines of modern politics- is the enemy of the Gospel. ... Republicans and Democrats today engage in partisan warfare supposedly between conservatives and liberals, but these labels have largely lost their historic meaning. ... Christians must never allow ourselves to be put in the hip pocket of any political party or ideological movement." -Jubilee, July '08; Chuck Colson

In 1928, U. S. Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis gave us this farsighted warning: "Experience should teach us to be most on our guard to protect liberty when the government's purposes are beneficent. Men born to freedom are naturally alert to repel invasion of their

liberty by evil-minded rulers. The greatest dangers to liberty lurk in insidious encroachment by men of zeal, *well-meaning but without understanding* [emphasis added]."

EXTREME WARNING! "...But no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States." -Article 6 Clause 3 U.S. Constitution

EXTREME WARNING! Man made legal concept created in Black's Law Dictionary, 6th Edition: Sovereignty-"The supreme, absolute, and uncontrollable power by which any independent state is governed; supreme political authority; ... The power to do everything in a state without accountability [emphasis added], to make laws, to execute and to apply them, to impose and collect taxes and levy contributions, to make war or peace, to form treaties of alliance or of commerce with foreign nations, and the like."

"The "Red scare. During the postwar years, federal and state governments conducted a vigorous drive against anarchists, Communists, and socialists." ... "In 1948 the FBI and the Department of Justice began an intensive investigation of Communist activity in the United States. Before the year ended, 11 Communist leaders had been indicted, tried, and sentenced to prison."..."Congress was reacting not only to the possibility of Communist subversion at home but also to the increasingly serious international situation." –Rise of the American Nation, HBJ, pages 595, 724

"We have already lost our rights to do at least half of the things on that list as well as many others, to some extent! What is going on here? Simply this: Power-hungry government officials - backed by people with hidden agendas - have convinced us to sacrifice our freedoms bit by bit, always in the name of some supposedly noble cause (usually something to do with protecting us from some imaginary or greatly exaggerated danger). And with every change they gain a little more power; a little more control." -Constitutional Sheriffs and Peace Officers Association

"The many names of Satan are also a model for the way radicals camouflage their agendas by calling themselves at different times Communists, socialists, new leftists, liberals, social justice activists and most consistently progressives." -www.frontpagemag.com

It is written: "The Lord says: 'These people come near to me with their mouth and honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. Their worship of me is made up only of rules taught by men." -Isaiah 29:13

"For they mouth empty, boastful words and, by appealing to the lustful desires of sinful human nature, they entice people who are just escaping from those who live in error. They promise them freedom while they themselves are slaves to depravity- for a man is a slave to whatever has mastered him." -2 Peter 2:19