
AMERICA WAS FOUNDED UPON CHRISTIANITY

America was born when We the People discovered that Rights come from Nature's God and decided it was time for men to rise up to secure these rights at any cost because it was the right thing to do. And, that the Governor of the Universe is to rule the American court. Thus begun a radical shift in political thought, individuals are not given rights by a government or king, the power of that government or king must be justly derived from the consent of the governed. Rights would no longer be given to the people by the government; the government would be given limited rights from the people. America would be a land of freedom and opportunity, with minimal government intrusion, a limited central government that would simply protect the people and maintain a safe environment for them to pursue happiness in any way they saw fit. And so, the purpose of America was to free the People from tyranny in the thirteen and now fifty United States; and through that accomplishment, free the People of the world, and by the mercy of God, this could still be possible if we acknowledge the King; and ask Mat 7:7 and He will answer;

"Whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed." James 1:25 "Call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify me." Psa 50:15

ORIGINAL SOURCE OF AUTHORITY:

In this fashion the United States of America was sanctioned by God and founded upon Common Law which are self-evident truths in that all men are created equal, being endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights and among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness, that to secure these rights, governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed and no man is greater than another; whereas we read:

"When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation."

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.—That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its

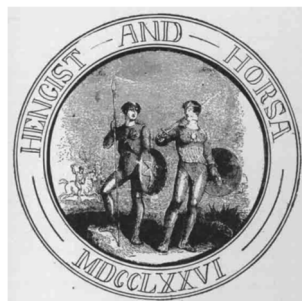
foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness.

Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly, all experience hath shewn, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security.

THE UNITED STATES, THE NEW ISRAEL: At its founding, the land of America was looked upon by many as representing a New Jerusalem and/or a City upon a Hill and/or a New Israel drawing from II Samuel 7:10 where God said:

“Moreover I will appoint a place for my people Israel, and will plant them, that they may dwell in a place of their own, and move no more.”

As time went on, some of the Founding Fathers of America used biblical metaphors and word pictures to describe the new land. On July 4, 1776, the Continental Congress instructed Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson and John Adams to design a seal for the United States. Jefferson was more ambitious and proposed designs for both sides of the seal.



Jefferson wanted an illustration of the Israelites' exodus out of slavery and bondage from Egypt for the front of his seal. Jefferson had a disdain for the institution of slavery. In Virginia the emancipation of slaves was illegal and he refused to sell his slaves. Therefore, Jefferson fought unsuccessfully to change the repugnant law in Virginia,

twice as a legislator and once as Governor. In his draft of the Declaration of Independence submitted to the Continental Congress, he listed one of the crimes of the King as forcing the institution of slavery on the colonies in America. In this draft, he described slavery as a "cruel war against human nature itself, violating its most sacred right of life and liberty."



For the back side of the seal, Jefferson proposed an illustration of Hengist and Horsa, 5th century Saxon warriors from Germany. They came to England as mercenaries to help the Briton tribe defend themselves against the rival tribes of the Picts and Scots.

Franklin had a similar idea to Jefferson's and wanted to illustrate a scene from the Exodus of the Israelites. The seal would show Benjamin Franklin's Design portrayed Moses parting the Red Sea with Pharaoh and his chariots being overwhelmed by the waters with the motto: Rebellion to tyrants is

obedience to God. Thomas Jefferson became so enamored with this motto he incorporated it for his own personal seal design.

The Liberty Bell in Philadelphia pre-dates the Revolution. The Pennsylvania Assembly had the Liberty Bell made in 1751 to mark the 50-year anniversary of William Penn's 1701 Charter of Privileges, which served as Pennsylvania's original Constitution. The following Bible verse is on the Bell: Leviticus 25:10

"Proclaim Liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof."

No one can deny that many of the founding fathers of the United States of America were men of deep religious convictions based in the Bible and their Christian faith in Jesus Christ. Of the 56 men who signed the Declaration of Independence, nearly half (24) held seminary or Bible school degrees. The following Christian quotes of the founding fathers will give an overview of their strong moral and spiritual convictions which helped form the foundations of our nation and our government.

RELIGION IN LAW AND GOVERNMENT: Congress and President George Washington in 1789 passed the "United States Annotated Code," Article III which states:

"Religion, morality, and knowledge, being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall forever be encouraged."

George Washington – *"While we are zealously performing the duties of good citizens and soldiers, we certainly ought not to be inattentive to the higher duties of religion. To the distinguished character of Patriot, it should be our highest glory to add the more distinguished character of Christian."*

George Mason – *"Every master of slaves is born a petty tyrant. They bring the judgment of heaven upon a country. As nations cannot be rewarded or punished in the next world, they must be in this. By an inevitable chain of causes and effects, Providence punishes national sins, by national calamities."*

John Adams – *"Suppose a nation in some distant Region should take the Bible for their only law Book, and every member should regulate his conduct by the precepts there exhibited! Every member would be obliged in conscience, to temperance, frugality, and industry; to justice, kindness, and charity towards his fellow men; and to piety, love, and reverence toward Almighty God ... What a Eutopia, what a Paradise would this region be."*

John Adams – *"The general principles, on which the Fathers achieved independence, were the only Principles in which that beautiful Assembly of young Gentlemen could unite, and these Principles only could be intended by them in their address, or by me in my answer. And what were these general Principles? I answer, the general Principles of Christianity, in which all these Sects were United: And the general Principles of English and American Liberty, in which all those young Men United, and which had United all Parties in America, in Majorities sufficient to assert and maintain her Independence."*

Adams in a letter to Thomas Jefferson – *“Now I will avow, that I then believe, and now believe, that those general Principles of Christianity, are as eternal and immutable, as the Existence and Attributes of God; and that those Principles of Liberty, are as unalterable as human Nature and our terrestrial, mundane System.”*

Adams in a letter to his wife, Abigail – *“The second day of July, 1776, will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary Festival. It ought to be commemorated, as the Day of Deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forever.”*

Thomas Jefferson – *“God who gave us life gave us liberty. And can the liberties of a nation be thought secure when we have removed their only firm basis, a conviction in the minds of the people that these liberties are of the Gift of God? That they are not to be violated but with His wrath? Indeed, I tremble for my country when I reflect that God is just; that His justice cannot sleep forever;” ... “I am a real Christian – that is to say, a disciple of the doctrines of Jesus Christ.”*

John Hancock – *“Resistance to tyranny becomes the Christian and social duty of each individual. ... Continue steadfast and, with a proper sense of your dependence on God, nobly defend those rights which heaven gave, and no man ought to take from us.”*

Benjamin Franklin – *“Here is my Creed. I believe in one God, the Creator of the Universe. That He governs it by His Providence. That He ought to be worshipped. That the most acceptable service we render to him is in doing good to his other children. That the soul of man is immortal, and will be treated with justice in another life respecting its conduct in this. These I take to be the fundamental points in all sound religion, and I regard them as you do in whatever sect I meet with them. As to Jesus of Nazareth, my opinion of whom you particularly desire, I think the system of morals and his religion, as he left them to us, is the best the world ever saw, or is likely to see.”*

President Lincoln spoke of his assassination to French-Canadian ex-priest Charles Chiniquy: *“You are not the first to warn me against the dangers of assassination. My ambassadors in Italy, France, and England, as well as Professor Morse, have many times warned me against the plots of the murderers which they have detected in those different countries. But I see no other safeguard against those murderers but to be always ready to die, as Christ advises it. As we must all die sooner or later, it makes very little difference to me whether I die from a dagger plunged through my heart or from an inflammation of the lungs. Let me tell you I have lately read a passage in the Old Testament which had made a profound, and, I hope, a salutary impression on me. Here is that passage.”*

Deuteronomy 3: 22 – “Ye shall not fear them: for the Lord your God He shall fight for you. And I besought the Lord at that time, saying, O Lord God, Thou hast begun to shew Thy servant Thy greatness and Thy mighty hand; for what God is there, in heaven or in earth, that can do according to Thy words, and according to Thy might! I pray Thee, let me go over, and see the good land that is beyond Jordan, that goodly mountain, and Lebanon. But the Lord was wroth with me for your sakes, and would not hear me: and the Lord said unto me, Let it suffice thee: speak no more unto Me of this matter. Get thee up into the top of Pisgah, and lift up thine eyes westward, and northward, and southward, and eastward, and behold it with thine eyes: for thou shalt not go over this Jordan.”

After the President had read these words with great solemnity, he added: “My dear Father Chiriquí, let me tell you that I have read these strange and beautiful verses several times these last five or six weeks. The more I read them, the more it seems to me that God has written them for me as well as Moses. Has He not taken me from my poor log cabin by the hand, as He did Moses in the reeds of the Nile, to put me at the head of the greatest and the most blessed of modern nations, just as He put that prophet at the head of the most blessed nation of ancient times? Has not God granted me a privilege which was not granted to any living man, when I broke the fetters of 4,000,000 of men and made them free? Has not our God given me the most glorious victories over our enemies? Are not the armies of the Confederacy so reduced to a handful of men when compared to what they were two years ago, that the day is fast approaching when they will have to surrender?”

“Now, I see the end of this terrible conflict, with the same joy of Moses at the end of his forty years in the wilderness. I pray my God to grant me to see the days of peace, and untold prosperity, which will follow this cruel war, as Moses asked God to see the other side of Jordan and enter the Promised Land. But do you know that I hear in my soul, as the voice of God, giving me the rebuke which was given to Moses?”

Patrick Henry – “It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great nation was founded, not by religionists, but by Christians; not on religions, but on the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For this very reason peoples of other faiths have been afforded asylum, prosperity, and freedom of worship here.”

George Washington – “The favorable smiles of Heaven can never be expected on a nation that disregards the eternal rules of order and right which Heaven itself has ordained.”

James Madison – “We have staked the whole future of American civilization, not upon the power of government, far from it. We have staked the future of all of our political institutions upon the capacity of mankind for self-government; upon the capacity of each and all of us to govern ourselves, to control ourselves, to sustain ourselves according to the Ten Commandments of God.”

Noah Webster (Father of American Scholarship and Education) – *“No truth is more evident to my mind than that the Christian religion must be the basis of any government intended to secure the rights and privileges of a free people.”*

John 8:36 – *“If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed”*

Benjamin Franklin – *“The worship of God is a duty.”*

George Washington – *“The fate of unborn millions will now depend, under God, on the courage of this army, our cruel and unrelenting enemy leaves us only the choice of brave resistance, or the most abject submission – We have, therefore to resolve to conquer or die.”*

George Washington – *“I am sure that never was a people, who had more reason to acknowledge a Divine interposition in their affairs, than those of the United States; and I should be pained to believe that they have forgotten that agency, which was so often manifested during our Revolution, or That they failed to consider the omnipotence of that God who is alone able to protect them.”*

Benjamin Franklin – *“Only a virtuous people are capable of freedom. As nations become corrupt and vicious, they have more need of masters.”*

John Adams – *“Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other.”*

John Adams – *“Statesmen, my dear Sir, may plan and speculate for liberty, but it is religion and morality alone, which can establish the principles upon which freedom can securely stand. The only foundation of a free constitution is pure virtue; and if this cannot be inspired into our people in a greater measure than they have it now, they may change their rulers and the forms of government, but they will not obtain a lasting liberty. They will only exchange tyrants and tyrannies.”*

John Adams – *“The safety and prosperity of nations ultimately and Essentially depend on the protection and blessing of Almighty God; and the national acknowledgment of this truth is not only an indispensable duty, which the people owe to him, but a duty whose natural influence is favorable to the Promotion of that morality and piety, without which social happiness cannot exist, nor the blessings of a free government be enjoyed.”*

Benjamin Franklin – *“Nothing can contribute to true happiness that is inconsistent with duty; nor can a course of action conformable to it, be finally without an ample reward. For, God governs; and he is good.”*

John Adams – *“Happiness, whether in despotism or democracy, whether in slavery or liberty, can never be found without virtue.”*

James Madison – *“It is the duty of every man to render to the Creator such homage...Before any man can be considered as a member of Civil Society, he must be considered as a subject of the Governor of the Universe...”*

James Madison – *“Religion, or the duty we owe to our Creator, and manner of discharging it, can be directed only by reason and conviction, not by force or violence;”*

George Washington – *“Let it simply be asked, where is the security for prosperity, for reputation, for life, if the sense of Religious obligation desert the oaths, which are the instruments of investigation in the Courts of Justice?”*

George Washington – *“And let us with caution indulge the supposition, that morality can be maintained without religion.”*

George Washington – *“Whatever may be conceded to the influence of refined education on minds of peculiar structure, reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle.”*

George Washington – *“Tis substantially true, that Virtue or morality is a necessary spring of popular government.”*

Noah Webster – *“In my view, the Christian religion is the most important and one of the first things in which all children, under a free government ought to be instructed ... No truth is more evident to my mind than that the Christian religion must be the basis of any government intended to secure the rights and privileges of a free people.”*

Noah Webster – *“The brief exposition of the constitution of the United States, will unfold to young person’s the principles of republican government; and it is the sincere desire of the writer that our citizens should early understand that The genuine source of correct republican principles is the Bible, particularly the New Testament or the Christian religion.”*

Noah Webster – *“The religion which has introduced civil liberty is the religion of Christ and His apostles, which enjoins humility, piety, and benevolence; which acknowledges in every person a brother, or a sister, and a citizen with equal rights. This is genuine Christianity, and to this we owe our free Constitutions of Government.”*

Noah Webster – *“The moral principles and precepts contained in the Scriptures ought to form the basis of all of our civil constitutions and laws ... All the miseries and evils which men suffer from vice, crime, ambition, injustice, oppression, slavery and war, proceed from their despising or neglecting the precepts contained in the Bible.”*

Noah Webster – *“When you become entitled to exercise the right of voting for public officers, let it be impressed on your mind that. The preservation of a republican God commands you to choose for rulers just men who will rule in the fear of God government depends on the faithful discharge of this duty.”*

Noah Webster – *“If the citizens neglect their duty and place unprincipled men in office, the government will soon be corrupted; laws will be made not for the public good so much as for the selfish or local purposes.”*

Common Law is our Heritage! Liberty is our inheritance! We the people have been lulled asleep; we have been robbed and persuaded to sell our birth right. In conclusion, while it is true that there can be no religious test for People to participate in government or for the People to partake in the blessings of Liberty, government is to secure that Liberty, not suppress it. Likewise government is not to acknowledge or require one religious denomination over another, the duty of government is to secure freedom of religion and not freedom from religion. The separation of government and church is essential but the acknowledgment of the only one true God of the Bible, Jesus Christ being His express Image, is just as essential without which there can be no Liberty, there would be no America!

God said, Hosea 4:6, – *“My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge...”*

When men rejected God as King, He warned us in 1st Sam 8 saying in an allegory, *“This will be the manner of the king that shall reign over you: He will take your sons, and appoint them for himself, for his chariots, and to be his horsemen; and some shall run before his chariots. And he will appoint him captains over thousands, and captains over fifties; and will set them to ear his ground, and to reap his harvest, and to make his instruments of war, and instruments of his chariots. And he will take your daughters to be confectionaries, and to be cooks, and to be bakers. And he will take your fields, and your vineyards, and your olive yards, even the best of them, and give them to his servants. And he will take the tenth of your seed, and of your vineyards, and give to his officers, and to his servants. And he will take your menservants, and your maidservants, and your goodliest young men, and your asses, and put them to his work. He will take the tenth of your sheep: and ye shall be his servants. And ye shall cry out in that day because of your king which ye shall have chosen; and the LORD will not hear you in that day.”*

On the other hand, this brings us to the few who come to the knowledge of truth and by the mercy of God are motivated by honor and mercy and a desire to ordain justice as king in this world, such was the driving force of our founding fathers, and the Father of justice is God. Now, if it be God’s will that nations will be brought to justice in time, of which chapters Isa 14, 26, 27 and Dan 7 strongly states, then nations will be brought to justice! The history and formula of rule by justice is found in the first seven books of the Bible upon which our founding fathers built the United States of America. Any who deny this fact are simply ignorant of American history, the structure of our government and our courts. And, the decline and judgment for abandoning “rule by justice” is found in six books, Samuel 1&2, Kings 1&2 and Chronicles 1&2.

This brings us to the question: Can the spiritually tattered People of today bear the truth? The very meaning of the word “justice” is synonymous with “virtue,” according to both Blacks and Bouvier’s law dictionaries. With “virtue” being the attributes of God, you cannot find “just law” without first finding such a “just creator” whom our founding fathers found between the books of Genesis and Revelation. And so it follows that if a nation is to be “just,” an acknowledgement of that sovereign creator who said: *“all the earth is mine, all that is born is mine, all that is under the heaven is mine, all souls are mine, all silver and gold is mine, vengeance is mine, and I will repay must prevail;”* and then, and only then, with a bent knee, will we have courts with liberty and justice for

all. It is upon that Rock via the Declaration of Independence that America was built. If we continue to ignore that Rock, America becomes no different than any other nation.

Which brings us to the promise of God, whereas, He said, *“If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.”* (2 Chr 7:14). And, only then will justice prevail, which no tyrant can overthrow in the courts of America. This was agreed upon by our founding fathers. Benjamin Franklin said: *“Only a virtuous people are capable of freedom.”* And, in 1798, John Adams reiterated that when he said, *“Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other.”* America can only be as just as its courts.

Thereby, once we humble ourselves and realize that we own no property, not even our bodies and souls, and that God has entrusted us, not government, to be the “stewards” of “His property,” namely our bodies and souls; therein is found unalienable rights. A nation founded under that premise can never falter or succumb to tyrants so long as they continue to rest upon that Rock. A court whose bench belongs to that King will prevail. And, as the walls of Jericho fell at the sounding of the trump (voice) of God, so shall the walls of injustice fall by the sounding of Natural Law (truth) in the King’s Court. If God can speak into being all things, surely His words of justice will silence the opponents of justice; and silence, when there is a duty to speak, is acquiescence and evidence of their fraud.

Rev 19:16 – *“God is King of Kings.”*

2 Cor 3:17 – *“Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is Liberty”.*