

VI. Laws of Divine Establishment and the Royal Family Honor Code: Quotes from the Founders

But whether the Zeitgeist functions under establishment principles or not, the believer is mandated to submit to the laws of society and to those officials who enforce them.

Nevertheless, as an ambassador for Christ, our duty is to promote, uphold, and proclaim the truths of God's Word whenever and wherever we are given the opportunity.

The motivation is not to control others by forcing them to adhere to our beliefs.

The motivation is to influence others; to challenge them to consider biblical principles among the many other options offered by the Devil's world.

If enough people are evangelized, learn doctrine, and develop an inventory of establishment truth, the content of their collective streams of consciousness will ultimately influence the Zeitgeist of America.

In the meantime, God will simply not permit human-good solutions to solve the problems of mankind. Only divine solutions work. All else is sowing the wind of idolatry.

Hosea 8:7 - They sow the wind and they reap the whirlwind. The standing grain has no heads; it yields no grain. Should it yield, strangers would swallow it up.

Colonel Thieme had this to say about Dr. Charles L. Feinberg in the Dedication of his book, **Anti-Semitism**:

"Hebrew scholar and professor, who made the original languages of the Old Testament so live in the classroom that exegesis became my way of life."

Dr. Charles L. Feinberg has written a very insightful commentary on Hosea 8:7 which I would like to quote here:

Feinberg, Charles L. "Hosea: God's Love for Israel." In The Minor Prophets. Chicago: Moody Press, 1948, pp. 42- 43:

"The most damning sin of all is idolatry. The last injunction of the apostle John in his first epistle is to the effect that the children of God are to heed well that they keep themselves from idolatry."

1 John 5:21 - Little children, guard yourselves from idols.

"When we realize, too, that God regards covetousness as idolatry, we can see more clearly how real is the temptation against which the Word of God warns us."

Colossians 3:5 - Consider the members of your earthly body as dead to immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed which is idolatry.

"Samaria is addressed for all Israel and is assured that God's anger is kindled against them for their idolatry. The idol was but the work of a man and no God at all.

Such miserable substitutes for the true and living, loving, and righteous God must pass away, and the perpetrators of such grievous sin must be visited with the sore displeasure and stored-up wrath of God. Sowing the wind they reap the whirlwind. They cannot turn back the law of the harvest: if they sow they must reap. They cannot reverse the law of uniformity: if they sow the wind, senseless, heartless, vain, and empty worship, they must reap in kind. They cannot abrogate the law of multiplication: though they sow but the wind, it will bring forth the abundant harvest of the whirlwind which will sweep them away with all their defiance of God and His Law. The result is they have no standing grain; all their hopes and prospects come to naught. There was no fruitage anywhere. But if there should be the semblance of fruitage, even that will be swept away by the invading army. The shadow of Assyria, the strangers of verse 7, is already falling across their path.

When God chose Israel to bring glory and praise to His name among the nations of the earth, He intended her to keep herself separate from the world. This design of God, Israel did not follow out, and by her mingling with the nations she became swallowed up. She lost her reason for existence.”

The only means of recovery for a client nation which has degenerated in such a manner is for those who possess truth to use it to influence those who do not know it.

This includes those with whom you come into daily contact as well as those whom the Constitution permits you to petition, namely, your duly elected local, state, and national governing authorities.

But remember the principle which emerges from our Constitution and its Founders: Christianity is to influence the government, not control it.

This is a right, and it is protected by the First Amendment.

Our Founding Fathers and early leaders were prolific in their expressions of support for Christian influence upon the government.

I. Quotes from the Founders

David Barton's fifth chapter in his book, *The Myth of Separation*, contains an abundance of quotes from well-known politicians, authors, and educators on this subject:

Barton, *The Myth of Separation*, pp. 116-133, passim: