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Last Word: The Deep State Liars Club

April and May were busy months for former FBI chief James Comey, as he crisscrossed the country with his Trump-bashing book, *A Higher Loyalty: Truth, Lies, and Leadership*. The low points of his royal powder-puff treatment by the gatekeepers of the Fourth Estate included sycophantic “interviews” with George Stephanopoulos (ABC), Rachel Maddow (MSNBC), David Remnick (*The New Yorker*), Stephen Colbert on *Late Night* (CBS), and more. Comey, who was fired by President Trump, has been the out-front point man in the “Destroy Trump” tag team with his longtime DOJ-FBI comrade Robert Mueller.

Comey is not the only Deep State operative now out on the book-tour circuit. Former top spook Michael V. Hayden (who headed both the CIA and NSA) also has a similar tell-all tome to hawk and a similar message to sell. Hayden’s book, *The Assault on Intelligence: American National Security in an Age of Lies*, has provided the anti-Trump media choir with another opportunity to attack and delegitimize our elected president. In an April 30 *All Things Considered* interview with NPR, Hayden charged that the Trump administration has ushered in “a post-truth world.” He also justified leaking and other (unidentified) forms of “pushing back” against the president because, “What we have here is a president who does not seem to be controlled by the traditional norms of the office. We have never seen a president speak like this, act like this, disparage people like this. And of course, that generates a response from people who have been career professionals, because we think what the president’s doing is very harmful.”

Note that what Hayden is saying here is that he and other political appointees in the elite echelons of the Security State apparatuses justify acting as de facto members of the anti-Trump “Resistance” because they don’t like President Trump’s *style* — the way he talks and acts. For the record, this writer also takes umbrage with many of the inartful, un-presidential (and, yes, sometimes downright crude and cringe-worthy) expressions and tweets emanating from the president; but the “pushback” from Comey, Mueller, Hayden, and their Deep State co-conspirators is unprecedented and beyond the pale. Their pushback involves a long train of actions that are unethical, illegal, and treasonous. They have been doing everything in their power to sabotage the government of the United States, to undo the elections of 2016, and to prevent the Trump administration from governing as it was elected to do. They have been illegally leaking classified documents and information in a steady campaign calculated to undermine the president, while, at the same time, stonewalling legitimate requests and demands from Congress to produce documents bearing on national security, corruption, and abuse.

This treasonous Deep State cabal has only been able to prosper because of the close connections of its principals to the “mainstream” media and the constant protection and promotion that the Fake News propagandists provide. The full scope of this Intelligence Community-Big Media marriage is astounding. Since President Trump’s inauguration, we’ve witnessed an absolute tsunami of CIA-NSA-FBI superspooks into the ranks of the establishment commentariat. Former CIA Director John Brennan, of course, is now a “senior national security and intelligence analyst” at NBC News, but also can be seen and heard blasting Trump on NPR, PBS, CNN, Twitter, and other media and social-media platforms. The “journalists” at these “news” organizations never bother to press Brennan about his straight-faced lies denying that the CIA illegally spied on Americans or the U.S. Congress. They are not concerned by his own admissions that he was sufficiently accomplished as a liar and deceiver at the beginning of his CIA career that he was able to beat the lie detector and conceal that he had been a supporter of the



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Communist Party and had actually voted for Communist Party leader Gus Hall to be president of the United States.

CNN has gone clear over the top in recruiting Deep State commentators to populate its 24/7 anti-Trump programming. Besides employing former CIA Director/NSA Director Michael Hayden, the ultra-left network has also brought on board former Director of National Intelligence James Clapper. Yes, the same James Clapper who infamously perjured himself in nationally televised hearings, lying under oath when he denied that the NSA was monitoring and recording communications and data on millions of Americans. Also at CNN are retired CIA agents Philip Mudd and Steven L. Hall (who also writes for the virulently anti-Trump *Washington Post*) and former Comey aide at the FBI Josh Campbell. Then there are also former FBI agent Asha Rangappa, now “a legal and national security analyst for CNN,” and retired FBI supervisory Special Agent James Gagliano, currently a “CNN law enforcement analyst.”

The list goes on and on. This liars club does indeed know a thing or two about lying, but they should be prosecuted for it, not rewarded or looked to for leadership.



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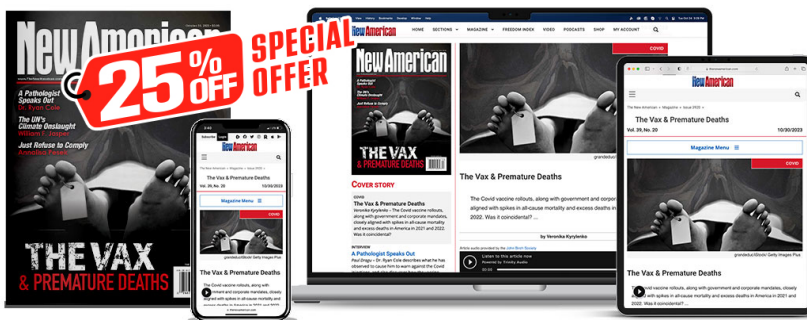
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