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## **Quick Quotes**

# Senator Had a Religious Test for One Supreme Court Candidate

"You have a long history of believing that your religious beliefs should prevail. The dogma lives loudly within you."

During a previous confirmation hearing when Judge Amy Coney Barrett won acceptance as an appeals court judge, Senator Dianne Feinstein (D-Calif.) pointedly challenged the propriety of Judge Barrett because of her religious views. Senator Feinstein ignored the Constitution's Article VI, which states, "No religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States."

## Senator Totally Opposed to Cancellation of Roe v. Wade

"A candidate for this important position who would overturn Roe v. Wade would not be acceptable to me because that would indicate an activist agenda that I don't want to see a judge have."

A judge who supports abortion on demand supposedly does not possess an "activist agenda," according to Senator Susan Collins (R-Maine), though nowhere is abortion or healthcare mentioned in the Constitution.

### **Inflation's Next Victim Could Be Turkey**

"The Turkish lira is like ice in hot water. The second you take it out [to use it], it starts to melt."

Recently reelected President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan has continued to flood the nation with currency, which amounts to a path toward repudiation of the currency. Shopkeeper Zaki Uckardes must pay his rent in foreign currency while he sells his wares for the Turkish lira.

# **Hip-hop Star Wants Fellow Blacks to Break Free of Democrats**

"See, that's the problem with this nation. All blacks gotta be Democrats. Man, we ain't made it off the plantation."

Not afraid to cite historical truth, Kanye West even quotes economist Thomas Sowell, who maintains: "Socialism in general has a record of failure so blatant that only an intellectual could ignore or evade it."

## **Democrat Congressman Fears the Sanders Message**

"Bernie is fighting for his principles on what direction the party should go. But we don't really have anybody doing it on behalf of moderates and other Democrats. It has become a one-sided conversation."

Wishing his party had a moderating influence to counter Bernie Sanders' socialism, Representative Cedric Richmond (D-La.) sees trouble ahead for the Democratic Party.



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# Congressman Questions the Character of a Top FBI Official

"I can't help but wonder when I see you looking there with a little smirk how many times did you look so innocent into your wife's eyes and lie to her."

During a congressional hearing examining the possibility that the FBI sought to impede Donald Trump's run for the presidency, FBI deputy assistant director Peter Strzok was questioned by Representative Louis Gohmert (R-Texas), not only about his stated intention to prevent Trump's possible victory in 2016 but also about his affair with a female FBI agent.

# Democrat Urges People to Harass Trump Administration Officials

"[Those who defend Trump] won't be able to go to a restaurant; they won't be able to stop at a gas station, they're not going to be able to shop at a department store. The people are going to turn on them."

Representative Maxine Waters (D-Calif.) also wants President Trump impeached and removed from office.

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