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## Quick Quotes

### **Ravages of Socialism Showing in Venezuela**

"At the beginning of the 21st Century, Venezuela was one of the top richest countries in the world. Today, its poverty rate is 87 percent and its inflation rate is predicted to be approaching 1,000,000 percent. Once its capital was a tourist destination with thriving culture. Today, it is the crime capital of the world. Venezuela is just the latest tragic example of socialism's devastation."

*Sending a warning in the face of socialism's false promises captivating young U.S. voters, Congressman Brad Wenstrup (R-Ohio) seeks to remind everyone that socialism is the road to ruin.*

### **After Four Tours in Afghanistan, General Calls for Ending the War**

"It is time for this war in Afghanistan to end."

*Army General John Nicholson spent 31 months as America's leader in the Afghan War, which has continued for 17 years. Replaced and headed for retirement, he wants the United States to leave.*

### **Government Facilities Dispensing Opioids Is Not the Answer**

"Unfortunately, some cities and counties are considering sponsoring centers where drug users can abuse dangerous illegal drugs with government help. Advocates euphemistically call them 'safe injection sites,' but they are very dangerous and would only make the opioid crisis worse."

*Deputy Attorney General Rod Rosenstein recommends treatment for victims and reduced access to deadly drugs.*

### **Top Trump Official Blasts UN's International Court**

"It is ineffective, unaccountable and, indeed, outright dangerous."

*In a speech, National Security Advisor John Bolton urged the United States to stay out of the UN's International Criminal Court. The court was created in 2002 with an initial burst of countries joining. The United States never joined, and other nations are reconsidering their membership.*

### **Unusual Strategy Propelling Famous Brit Toward High Office**

"My strategy is to litter my career with so many decoy mistakes, nobody knows which one to attack. In the past few minutes, I've probably said something that the British media will say is absolutely outrageous, though I don't know what it is."

*Described as articulate, charismatic, and virtually "unembarrassable," former London Mayor Boris Johnson has a sizeable following within Britain's Conservative Party. He is now being discussed as a replacement for the current prime minister, Theresa May.*

### **Character Assassins of Kavanaugh Overlook Democrat**



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## Wrongdoing

"The 'Lion of the Senate' Ted Kennedy killed a woman, former Democrat Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd was an exalted Cyclops in the Ku Klux Klan, and we all know about Bill Clinton. But that's OK; their lapses in judgment were somehow worth our compassion and forgiveness."

*President-elect of the Association of American Physicians and Surgeons Dr. Marilyn Singleton worries that the assassins of Judge Kavanaugh's character may soon be controlling medical care.*

## President Warns Pastors of Violence if GOP Loses Congress in November

"Democrat groups will overturn everything we've done quickly and violently. When you look at Antifa and you look at some of these groups, these are violent people."

*A group of 100 evangelical leaders met with President Trump in the White House, where they were given a dire warning about the consequences of a Democrat victory in the November congressional elections.*

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