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Inside Track

Notes From Teacher, Parent: “Trans” Kids Are Mentally Ill



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According to a teacher and a mother who wrote letters to conservative columnist Rod Dreher, which were posted online March 1, parents and school officials encourage transgender behavior among children.

The two stated that “transgender” kids are often mentally ill and routinely disappear from the school roster when parents finally call in the skull doctors. In fact, the anonymous teacher observed that “trans” kids are in “desperately bad shape.”

One student was “moody and unstable, and was withdrawn from school for mental health reasons in the middle of the year.” Another wore buttons “declaring preferred pronouns.” The “button-wearer mysteriously wasn’t in our school anymore at the start of the next year. I asked her friends about it, but they could only shrug. Nobody ever heard from her again.”

This year, the teacher has “a young man who has *fully* transitioned physically to a female, and who also (surprise!) has a host of major mental health problems.” He is “a doped-up basket case so dysfunctional that he has to be removed from an incredibly tolerant, liberal school where he was literally celebrated for being a ‘she.’”

How tolerant is “incredibly tolerant?” A Christian boy apologized for using the wrong pronoun on a “trans” classmate.

The teacher rightly concluded that the “trans” kids are “clearly suffering from massive mental and emotional problems” and “all their pronouns and transitioning do nothing to heal that.”

A concerned mother who read the teacher’s missive divulged that five percent of the students at her daughter’s former school claim they are the opposite sex. Parents and teachers have “normalized” and encouraged the mental illness and support hormones and surgery. And some of the “trans” students “looked nothing like the sex they pretended to be. One boy looked exactly like a boy, yet went by a feminine girl’s name and became hostile if anyone ‘misgendered’ him. These kids all presented differently, but what they all had in common were signs of autism and mental health issues.”



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Utah Bans Abortions After 18 Weeks Gestation



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Utah's Governor Gary Herbert signed his approval on March 25 to a bill that banned abortion in his state after 18 weeks of gestation. The new law replaces a previous law that banned abortion after 22 weeks of gestation. Considering that many abortionists stopped doing the procedure at 21 weeks, being careful not to run afoul of that law, this means, in effect, that Utah abortionists will most likely restrict their procedures to before 17 weeks.

Abortion is becoming an increasingly contentious issue in the states. Some states, such as Utah and Mississippi (which last year passed a 15-week abortion law only to see a federal judge nix it), are moving to further restrict the grisly practice. Other states, such as New York, have gone in the other direction, allowing abortions to be performed at the very latest stages in pregnancy. Virginia Governor Ralph Northam recently defended a bill in his state that would have even allowed the death of a child born after a failed abortion. "When we talk about third-trimester abortions," Northam explained, "these are done with the consent of obviously the mother, with the consent of the physicians, more than one physician, by the way."

Along with the fight over the confirmation of Brett Kavanaugh to the Supreme Court, which the Left fought so strongly out of fear that Justice Kavanaugh would provide the margin needed to reverse the notorious *Roe v. Wade* decision, which claimed state laws restricting abortion were somehow "unconstitutional," these new laws indicate that the abortion issue is coming to a head.

Hopefully, the day will come when the scourge of abortion is illegal across the nation. Until then, laws such as the one passed recently in Utah will continue to save millions who otherwise would have been aborted.

By Steve Byas

Senate Says "No Deal" on Green New Deal



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Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.) carefully crafted a trap for Democrats supporting the Green New Deal by bringing to the floor a procedural vote on March 26 that would have allowed the legislation to move forward. Said McConnell the day before: “The American people will see. They’ll see which senators are so fully committed to radical left-wing ideology that they can’t even vote ‘no’ on self-inflicted economic ruin that would take a sledgehammer to America’s middle class.”

As he anticipated, few of them voted against it. Moreover, even cosponsors of the legislation, including Senators Edward Markey (D-Mass.) and Kirsten Gillibrand (D-N.Y.), joined 41 others who voted “present” (with four joining the Republicans who voted unanimously to end the discussion before it even got started). Markey called the vote a “sham,” while Gillibrand called it “a political stunt.” House Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-N.Y.) called the vote “a mockery,” a “political act,” and a “political stunt.” The vote was 57-0.

Schumer added, “What’s the point of [this vote] other than showing how hypocritical this act is?” without realizing that that is precisely what the lopsided rejection of Representative Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez’s radical proposal revealed: Those in favor of AOC’s plan (many of them running for their party’s nomination for president in 2020 and making it part of their platforms) refused to vote for it, covering themselves with glory by voting “present” instead.

Three Democrats and one Independent — Senators Joe Manchin (D-W.V.), Doug Jones (D-Ala.), Kyrsten Sinema (D-Ariz.), and Angus King (I-Maine) — joined the Republicans in rejecting moving ahead with consideration of the bill.

The Green New Deal is, as McConnell expressed, a “Democrat effort to re-brand all the far-left wish list [that originated] with the most radical, farthest-left members of the new House Democrat majority.”

Senator Roy Blunt, a Republican from Missouri, called the Democrats out for their hypocrisy: “I’ve never seen a bill sponsored by a dozen people who don’t want to vote for it!”

By Bob Adelman

Corsi Vows to Make Mueller Pay, Alleging Prosecutorial



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Misconduct



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Special Counsel Robert Mueller has concluded — finally, after two years — his probe into whether President Donald Trump or any member of his campaign team colluded with Russia during the 2016 presidential campaign. Millions of Americans believe the investigation was politically driven, doing great damage to the country itself, and in the process destroying the lives of innocent Americans in what Trump has called a “witch hunt.”

One of those persecuted by Mueller during the seemingly never-ending investigation — Jerome Corsi, a best-selling author and noted political commentator — has opted to continue his legal fight against Mueller and his fellow prosecutors, with a bar complaint and a \$350 million lawsuit.

“They have to pay for this,” Corsi told the *Washington Examiner* on March 25.

The Special Counsel’s office offered Corsi a plea deal in November — for him to plead guilty to lying to investigators about having a desire to contact WikiLeaks’ Julian Assange during the presidential campaign of 2016. Corsi has explained that during a visit to Italy in 2016, he came to the conclusion that Assange had damaging e-mails of John Podesta, Hillary Clinton’s campaign chairman, and that Assange would release them just before the November election.

“I figured it out myself, nobody told me,” Corsi told the *Washington Examiner*, but Mueller’s prosecutorial team did not believe him, and therefore insisted that he was lying. Corsi said they thought it was “impossible” that he had just “deduced” what was going to happen. But Corsi is a 72-year-old experienced observer of inside politics, and as his recent best-seller *Killing the Deep State* demonstrates, he has vast knowledge of the workings of the elitists who have been largely running the U.S. government for decades, regardless of who is president.

“I think the fact they didn’t indict me shows I’m right in the case,” Corsi said. “They need to pay for this. They ruined my life for several months and caused me monetary damages. I currently have no job and no monthly income. I have to reconstruct my life. This was a political prosecution.”

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