



Letters to the Editor

Hate One, Love the Other

Why do we hate the police and love the troops?

Police officers are no different than the military. What gives? Answer: It's communist group-think and class warfare.

During the Vietnam War, Americans hated the troops for killing innocents, though the innocents were infiltrated by hostiles. In Iraq and Afghanistan, we bombed the hell out of innocents, killing them by the score, and the media have been silent. We love the troops when the media loves the troops. Now, we hate the local police because the media tells us they're racist — without real proof — because American communists have conditioned us well in class warfare. It's sad that black Americans go along with this, but communists indoctrinate us as a collective. When we think in terms of class, race, and other forms of collectivism, we prove that we are conditioned. When the media not only tells us what to think, but does the thinking for us, we are on the very road to communism!

If we love the troops and hate the local police, then why not have the police become military and have the military fill in as police? Would we still love the troops when they do police work? Yes, unless the media then turns on them too.

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Unity

Many Americans, particularly those who believe there was fraud in the 2020 election, apparently do not understand the damage unhealthy opinions have on a society looking for unity.

Democrats and companies such as Facebook, YouTube, and Twitter have taken steps toward solidarity and, as a result, are faced with the difficult task of vigilantly monitoring language that they believe is subversive and tearing the country apart.

Note that whenever there is change — and preventing hurtful speech for the first time in this country is a significant change — there will be resistance.

Yet today, with the cooperation of significant communication companies in America, Congress is committed to making America's public square safe for everyone by attempting to properly regulate communication, while at the same time allowing as much reasonable room for the First Amendment right of free speech.

The Democratic Party, with the assistance of social media and the mainstream media, is currently taking the lead to control many forms of damaging communication in America: newspapers, magazines, books, public meetings, rallies, art, music, movies, and radio. Viewpoints in any way threatening to civility will be restricted or eliminated from all media.

The success of this pathway toward unity has a rich history. "The Nazi Prop-aganda Ministry, directed by Dr. Joseph Goebbels, took control of all forms of communication in Germany: newspapers, magazines, books, public meetings, and rallies, art, music, movies, and radio. Events in any way



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threatening to Nazi beliefs or the regime were censored or eliminated from all media,” according to literature in the Holocaust Museum.

A 2017 article in *Russia Beyond* noted, after the Bolsheviks took power in Russia in 1917, one of their first decisions was to limit free speech through censorship. The Soviet government signed the “Decree on Press,” which prohibited publishing any articles criticizing the Bolsheviks’ authority.

The Bolsheviks successfully stopped speech in the same way today’s social media has successfully eliminated any speech not favorable to a Biden administration.

In 1921, the Soviet government created the “Glavlit,” responsible for deciding if a book was to be published or banned. Today, publishers in America such as Simon & Schuster have taken on a similar role by canceling a book by Senator Josh Hawley because of his views and opinions.

As with big tech today, both Nazism’s and communism’s initial objective was to ban speech considered offensive. As a result, both Germany and the Soviet Union experienced the unification of purpose and the consolidation of opinions.

Much of the credit for world-renowned atrocities started with something so simple as the elimination of hurtful speech.

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