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## What Can Be Done

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Simply knowing about the Deep State and its evil agenda will not stop it. In fact, it won't even make a dent. But learning about the problem is the first step to dealing with it. After all, doctors cannot begin to treat an illness or disease without an accurate diagnosis. And an army cannot begin planning to defeat and resist an enemy without first knowing who that enemy is. Make no mistake: This is a war.

The first and most important thing to understand about the war is that it goes way beyond politics, economics, religion, or ideology. This is not merely a battle against bad ideas or bad people — it's a battle against evil. In his letter to the Ephesians, Saint Paul described the nature of this battle. "For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places," he wrote after urging the faithful to put on "the whole armor of God."

In the Hebrew Bible, God through King David gives insight into the nature of the battle as well. "The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD, and against his anointed," reads Psalm 2:2, with some versions even using the word "conspire." However, there is also good news, with verse 4 explaining, "He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh."

In short, the forces working to destroy liberty and America are not just anti-human and anti-freedom. They are, at the core, waging a war against God Himself. They hate God, with a passion, and they hate God's people — those who love God and seek to do His will. Understanding this is fundamental to formulating a proper response.

As John Birch Society Founder Robert Welch put it, America and humanity are right now confronted with a "diabolical conspiracy." Any sensible plan for opposing the Deep State must, therefore, first and foremost, rely on God. Recognizing the indispensable role of God in the freedom fight, Welch incorporated it into his motto for The John Birch Society: "Less government, more responsibility, and — with God's help — a better world." Without relying on God for guidance and support, any hope for victory is absurd. America's Founders, for instance, declared their "firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence." As the Bible puts it in Psalm 127, "Except the LORD build the house, they labor in vain that build it."

Going back to Ephesians 6, God gives some crucial strategies for the fight ahead. Among other tactics,



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believers are instructed to take up the “shield of faith” that will enable you to “quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.” And when going on offense, believers have a powerful weapon, too: “the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.”

Biblical truth offers a most powerful weapon in this struggle. As the enemy seeks to undermine family and marriage, the Word of God points humanity back in the right direction. As the enemy seeks to redefine good and evil, again the Bible smashes the lies. As the enemy seeks to invent infinite new genders, the absolute Truth that God created people male and female will stand forever. As the enemy peddles tyranny, the Bible urges believers to proclaim liberty. On issue after issue, the word of God stands as a light unto the nations.

But believers must manifest their deeply held religious convictions through their actions in order to make the world we live in a better and freer place. As Daniel Webster said in 1834, “God grants liberty only to those who love it, and are always ready to guard and defend it.”

Regardless of our own religious traditions or the doctrinal disagreements we may have with others, all of us can and must play a role in fighting back against the civilization-destroyers on points of common agreement. Imagine, for the sake of argument, that Christian-style civilization is an edifice that has been set ablaze by God-hating arsonists. If it burns, liberty, prosperity, and more will be utterly destroyed. Children and grandchildren will be in bondage, if they even survive. Would anyone really suggest that due to doctrinal differences, Catholics or Protestants or Jews or Orthodox Christians should not join the volunteer fire department? The John Birch Society is the equivalent of the volunteer fire department.

In practical terms, there is much that must be done. Ancient Chinese strategist Sun Tzu, writing in his masterpiece *The Art of War*, laid out a key point that should be clearly understood in the midst of a war. “If you know the enemy and know yourself, you need not fear the result of a hundred battles,” he wrote. “If you know yourself but not the enemy, for every victory gained you will also suffer a defeat. If you know neither the enemy nor yourself, you will succumb in every battle.”

These words of wisdom are especially relevant today. Thanks to the Deep State’s control of public education and the media, Americans today have little understanding of the enemy or themselves, ensuring defeat in every battle. For instance, even though polls find that three-fourths of Americans recognize that a “Deep State” exists, few have a solid understanding of what this means, or how deep this Deep State really goes. And when it comes to knowing who they are as Americans, again the vast majority of the public falls short. As Thomas Jefferson warned in 1816, “If a nation expects to be ignorant and free, in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be.”

This gives advocates of liberty, civilization, and righteousness an enormous task: Educating the public about who we are as a nation, and who the enemy is. For one, Americans must become educated about their own history, their heritage, and their Constitution. Ignorance of those key elements is one of the reasons the Deep State has been so successful in using unconstitutional government and phony history to undermine America and freedom.

On the other side of the equation, Americans must gain a proper education on the Deep State. That is why this book has been prepared. Of course, this book is merely a primer. It should be used in conjunction with other works such as James Perloff’s *Shadows of Power*, Art Thompson’s *In the Shadows of the Deep State*, G. Edward Griffin’s *The Creature From Jekyll Island*, Welch’s *Again, May*



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*God Forgive Us*, Gary Allen's *None Dare Call It Conspiracy*, and Dan Smoot's *The Invisible Government*. A subscription to The New American magazine is essential for making sense out of today's headlines.

Fighting ignorance is crucial on so many levels. As God put it in the Hebrew Bible, "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge" (Hosea 4:6). Also in the Old Testament (Isaiah 5:13), God warns about the dangers of ignorance once again: "Therefore my people are gone into captivity, because they have no knowledge." Clearly, knowledge is not just desirable, it is essential to remaining free.

The John Birch Society has produced an enormous range of educational ammunition to use in this battle. This includes material educating Americans about themselves, and about the evildoers seeking to enslave them and destroy civilization. There is no reason to re-invent the wheel — see what JBS has available, educate yourself, and then use those resources to educate others. Focus on getting the material to opinion molders: radio hosts, newspaper columnists, business leaders, elected officials, legislators, sheriffs, community leaders, pastors, rabbis, priests, elders at church, and more.

Perhaps the single most important thing average American parents can do for the cause is to train up their children in the way that they should go. At the very least, that means ensuring that they are not subjected to over a decade of anti-God, anti-liberty, anti-family indoctrination in government schools. At this point, homeschooling, parent-led cooperatives known as "co-ops," or godly private schools are really the only option. FreedomProject Academy, an online K-12 school affiliated with JBS, is a great tool. Working with churches and parents to ensure alternatives at the local level is key.

After doing the basics — protecting one's own children and ensuring they receive a high-quality, godly education — helping others protect their own children is crucial too. After all, if the school building is on fire, to use the analogy again, you would not just get your own children out, but would also sound the alarm and encourage other parents to rescue their children, too. And you would do it immediately — so the children would be safe — while also working on the long-term objective of separating school and state.

In the government schools, the children are being harmed mentally, spiritually, academically, intellectually, and more. If more than eight out of 10 American children remain in Deep State-controlled schools, it is unlikely that America will survive another generation as a free nation. It may not survive anyway, but without a revival of real education, which is only possible by getting the children out of the government schools, there can be no hope.

To deal with this crisis, The New American produced a Special Report entitled "Rescuing Our Children" that exposes the unprecedented and deeply horrifying indoctrination, sexualization, and dumbing down of children taking place right now in public schools. It also reveals the hidden history behind this and the ongoing globalization of government education under the United Nations. Finally, it offers solutions: Homeschooling, private schools, and a total abandonment of the government indoctrination system. To order, go to [www.TheNewAmerican.com/RescuingOurChildren](http://www.TheNewAmerican.com/RescuingOurChildren). Quantity-discount prices are available to make distribution to parents and opinion molders economical.

In addition to education, there are several other issues that represent existential threats to the continued survival of freedom and the American Republic. The JBS has a track record stretching back more than six decades of identifying these dangers, and mobilizing the grassroots to address them. These include the effort to undermine and re-write the U.S. Constitution, open borders and the accompanying mass migration, the globalist-backed rise to global power of the mass-murdering



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communist regime enslaving mainland China, the effort to subvert American sovereignty in a North American Union and a New World Order, the Federal Reserve's usurious "monetary" system, and more.

Fortunately, the Constitution contains solutions to many of these problems, if only American voters would demand that the law be enforced. For instance, surrendering U.S. sovereignty using "free trade" agreements or "treaties" granting new powers to the feds involving the United Nations is flatly unconstitutional. The enormous bureaucracy that now regulates virtually every facet of life and the economy is also mostly unconstitutional, with those powers being left to the states or to the people. And the Federal Reserve banking cartel that is facilitating it all by looting Americans is flagrantly unconstitutional, as well.

Stopping all of this is possible. In fact, with just 218 constitutionally minded members of the U.S. House of Representatives, which controls the "purse strings," it could all be defunded almost immediately. And in many conservative-leaning districts, getting pro-Constitution lawmakers elected is not as difficult as one might think. By attending "town hall" meetings and distributing The New American's "Freedom Index," which grades every member of Congress based on his fidelity to the Constitution, this writer and local JBS members and allies were able to raise awareness in a congressional district. As a result of this, voters there decided to remove a phony conservative and replace him with a more constitutionally minded congressman. Improved understanding among constituents often results in representatives improving their voting records just to stay in office, too.

Activists can also turn the tide at the state and local level, using a tool known as "nullification." This constitutional remedy, which was advocated by some of America's most important Founding Fathers, including James "Father of the Constitution" Madison, involves "nullifying" unconstitutional federal power grabs at the state level. For instance, a state legislature or even a local sheriff could easily refuse to enforce unconstitutional gun-control schemes from Washington, D.C. Or a state could criminalize the killing of unborn babies and order its police forces to arrest abortionists under state law.

Liberals have been using these tactics for years on issues such as marijuana. Despite an unconstitutional federal statute that is still on the books purporting to ban the controversial plant in all circumstances, the vast majority of states have nullified the federal prohibition by making it available medically with a prescription. Some states have even ended prohibition of recreational use entirely, something that, regardless of the wisdom of such a policy, is within a state's sovereign prerogative under the existing Constitution. Conservatives should take a lesson.

Ultimately, fixing the political issues will not be easy. There is no silver bullet — a fact that causes many well-intentioned activists to become frustrated and sometimes support phony "solutions" that will, at best, do nothing and, at worst, cause serious damage. The politicians voting for abuses did not elect themselves. Rather, they were elected by the public based on a combination of ignorance and immorality. In short, to remove the bad politicians and the bad policies, the electorate must be educated, and it must once again support the moral principles that made America great.

Unfortunately, many liberty activists underestimate the importance of returning to godly morality in this fight. As President John Adams put it in a 1798 address to the officers of the First Brigade of the Third Division of the Massachusetts Militia, "Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people." Without a return to biblical principles and morality, America will never be free again.

After reading this book, it should be very clear that the Deep State is diabolical at its core. It is evil. It is



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at war with God and with God's people, as well as with God's truth. But ultimately, God is far more powerful than the evil confronting America today. In 2 Chronicles 7:14, God promises His people Israel that, if they humble themselves, pray, seek His face, and turn from their wicked ways, He will hear from Heaven, will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

If there is to be any hope for America, it must begin with God's people getting on their knees and praying, and then standing up against the evil that has infested this land. The evil must be exposed, reprovved, and defeated. With God's help, it can be done. Now let's get to work!

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