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The price of Freedom is eternal vigilance -

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A Blessed and Holy Christ Mass Season To All

"Sad indeed would the whole matter be if the Bible had told us everything God meant us to believe. But herein is the Bible itself greatly wronged. It nowhere lays claim to be regarded as the Word, the Way, the Truth. The Bible leads us to Jesus, the inexhaustible, the ever-unfolding Revelation of God. It is Christ "in whom are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge," not the Bible, save as leading to him... The Son of God is the Teacher of men, giving to them of his Spirit – that Spirit which manifests the deep things of God, being to a man the mind of Christ. The great heresy of the Church of the present day is unbelief in this Spirit. The mass of the Church does not believe that the Spirit has a revelation for every man individually – a revelation as different from the revelation of the Bible, as the food in the moment of passing into living brain and nerve differs from the bread and meat. If we were once filled with the mind of Christ, we should know that the Bible had done its work, was fulfilled, and had for us passed away, that thereby the Word of our God might abide for ever."

– George McDonald in "Unspoken Sermons", 1867

"If democracy contained what the politicians have said that it contains, and nothing more, it would be an entirely hopeless enterprise... Were it not better to be a peasant and reverence a lord, than be a politician and reverence nothing? The old aristocratic idea had more blood in it than that, and was more nearly a real and credible thing. A lord, a peasant, a priest - good enough, if only the lord had fed the peasant, and the priest had revered his soul; but since the peasant fed the lord and had to himself all the reverence in his own narrow, glimmering heart, he grew and lightened, and came to be at length himself both lord and priest! That is the authentic biology of democracy."

– Charles Ferguson in "The Religion of Democracy", 1911

THOSE WHO LIVE BY IMMIGRATION, DIE BY IMMIGRATION by James Reed: The election has been and gone and as expected Comrad Kev now leads the good ship Australia ever closer to the unforgiving reefs of the new world order. The Kyoto Protocol – that holy of holy paper tiger for the Greens – has been signed and Asian-born Senator Penelope Ying Yen Wong, becomes the first Asian-born Australian to become a minister. My hot prediction is that down the track when the knives come out for Big Kev, Yin Yen Wong will rise to the challenge of becoming prime minister, in the new Republic of Australia (or "Austrasia").

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John Howard exits the stage carrying forward the agenda of Whitlam-Fraser-Hawke-Keating. Asian immigration was higher under Howard (>70%) than under any of the Labor PMs. And, of course, as a good new world order man, Howard disarmed Australia.

I have written before of the "Howard illusion"; for too long many conservatives have been intellectually challenged and maintained "Howard is secretly on side". Howard was never on side. My late Father summed up Howard when Howard was treasurer under Malcolm Fraser: "He's the 'so-and-so' that dreams up all this evil stuff." Ironically it was high Asian immigration into Howard's electorate that finished him off.

Now that he has gone – and good riddance – maybe conservatives can start to wake up that the time is now one minute to the final midnight.

OH DEAR... THEY STILL DON'T GET IT! by Betty Luks: So many Liberals appear to believe the main reason for their defeat at the polls was because an aging John Howard led the presidential-style campaign and the younger Costello – or even Malcolm Turnbull – should have been appointed to do the job. According to that viewpoint appearance, image, is everything, nothing else counts.

By their fruits: But surely, many Australians now realise that whatever the so-called 'conservative' Liberal party presented itself as, in reality, its actions were nothing more than those of a centralist-one-world party who continued to betray their fellow Australians to the Neo-Communist World State.

With the recent death of former PM of Rhodesia Ian Smith still fresh in our minds we could benefit from the warning journalist Ivor Benson gave us when exposing Smith's betrayal of the people of Rhodesia in the 1960-70s. There is an important lesson for us here that we must act upon, if we want to retain any hope of saving our freedoms and sovereignty.

First, get it clear in your mind, for all his pretensions; Ian Smith was not a conservative.

South African born, Ivor Benson was a journalist in South Africa and Fleet Street, London. In 1964 he became Information Adviser to Prime Minister Ian Smith and remained in the post for two years and saw at first hand what was really happening.

In his newsletter *Behind the News* September 1977, Benson wrote: "Mr. Ian Smith is not a conservative let alone a right-wing extremist; never was a conservative and never will be. He is a liberal or progressive, or leftist, always was and always will be. Thus an astonishing situation has been created in which a dyed-in-the-wool liberal finds himself today the prime minister and leader of a small country which has adopted a posture of defiance towards a revolutionary imperialism, which is essentially liberal, leftist, call it what you will."

In his book, "Truth Out of Africa", he continued: "The weirdness of Ian Smith's behaviour as leader of the Rhodesian Front Party (RF) can be easily explained: he was playing a double game; he was betraying the party whose programme of principles he had publicly endorsed; and he was doing this from a position of strength, profoundly convinced that he was advancing the cause of truth and justice, and always covertly supported from sources outside his RF party.

It was not the outside powers trying to enforce revolutionary change in Rhodesia that Mr. Smith was fighting – his real opponents were the RF members of parliament who had chosen him as party leader and prime minister plus the rank and file members of the RF ...

Mr. Smith as a dedicated liberal and proponent of multiracialism had decided that there was no better position from which to advance his 'ideals' than from inside a political party that was most effectively opposing them.

As events were to show, Ian Smith was a shrewd, tough and ruthless party-political operator who knew very well how to exploit to the utmost a psychology of group dynamics which makes it well

nigh imperative for any group that is threatened from without to render blind loyalty and submission to its leader.

Thus the Rhodesians were reduced to a moral condition described in the Gospels: having eyes they could not see, having ears they could not hear, and having minds they could neither understand nor remember.

Many were to be the target of Ian Smith's enmity as, in an atmosphere of bewilderment reminiscent of George Orwell's *Animal Farm*, he picked off one by one those who opposed him or might do so in the future..."

Twelve RF members of parliament rebelled against Smith and formed an opposition Rhodesian Action Party (RAP). Even a deputy minister attached to the Prime Minister's office rebelled and resigned from his job..."

"The real traitors," wrote one correspondent, "though never numerous, were well positioned in the party structure." Oh! How frighteningly familiar it all sounds for Australia.

FURTHER LESSONS FOR AUSTRALIA FROM SMITH'S PASSING by James Reed:
Zimbabwe's Deputy Information Minister in commenting on the passing of Ian Smith said that Smith was an "unrepentant racist". A few writers dared to argue in the print media that Smith was not a tyrant such as his black successor Marxist Robert Mugabe.

And now President Mugabe has further mutilated Zimbabwe's already dying economy by announcing a law giving the State a controlling stake in mining operations across this torn and bleeding land. The State can now take over 51 per cent of companies' strategic fuels and minerals. And, legalising theft, 25 per cent can be taken without any payment at all. This is all done "in virtue of its [the State's] original ownership of all useful minerals in its sub-soils." Say goodbye to all new mining developments by private individual companies.

Zimbabwe has achieved something rarely accomplished by a society: the rate of inflation is no longer calculated, according to a recent article in The Times of London, because the shops no longer have enough goods left on the shelves to do price comparisons.

The last inflation figure, calculated at October 2007 gave an inflation rate of 14,840 per cent. Mugabe's solution to the inflation problem was to send soldiers to shops that refused to lower prices and have the soldiers loot the shops!

The liberals in the West though are happy, because, after all, Mugabe is black so whatever happens, by definition, all is well.

THE BIRD FEEDER (Author unknown): I bought a bird feeder. I hung it on my back porch and filled it with seed. What a beauty of a bird feeder it is thought I as I filled it lovingly with seed. Within a week we had hundreds of birds taking advantage of the continuous flow of free and easily accessible food. But then the birds started building nests in the boards of the patio, above the table, and next to the barbecue. Then came the poop. It was everywhere: on the patio tiles, the chairs, the table...everywhere!

Then some of the birds turned mean. They would dive bomb me and try to peck me even though I had fed them out of my own pocket.

And others birds were boisterous and loud. They sat on the feeder and squawked and screamed at all hours of the day and night and demanded that I fill it when it got low on food.

After a while, I couldn't even sit on my own back porch. So I took down the bird feeder and in three days the birds were gone. I cleaned up their mess and took down the many nests they had built all over the patio. Soon, the back yard was like it used to be...quiet, serene and no one demanding their rights to a free meal.

Now let's see.... 'our' government gives out free food, subsidized housing, free medical care, and free education and allows anyone born here to be an automatic citizen.

Then the illegals came by the tens of thousands. Suddenly our taxes went up to pay for free services; small apartments are housing 5 families; you have to wait 6 hours to be seen by an emergency-room doctor; your child's 2nd grade class is behind other schools because over half the class doesn't speak English.

Corn Flakes now come in a bilingual box; I have to "press one" to hear my bank talk to me in English, and people waving flags other than the flag of my own country are squawking and screaming in the streets, demanding more rights and free liberties.

Just my opinion, but maybe it's time for the government to take down the bird feeder. If you agree, pass this message on; if not, continue cleaning up the poop!

WALL-TO-WALL LABOR: Phillip Benwell MBE has circulated a letter to likeminded groups with an appeal to work together to come against the expected push for a republic. We publish a portion of his letter.

The current situation: "Politics is similar to our tactics of chess where players must foresee the consequences of any move they make and neutralize the opposition. There are no excuses for failure.

We should therefore never underestimate the acumen of Labor Party apparatchiks, however obtuse Ministers may be, nor should we take the intellect of leading republicans for granted, particularly since virtually all leading constitutional jurists are republicans.

With only eight out of forty-four proposals successfully passing the referendum process since Federation, they more than anyone else would realize that within the next decade there is no way in which they will be able to persuade the Australian people to trust politicians sufficiently enough to vote for a republic under Section 128 of the Constitution, whether the President were to be elected by the Parliament or the People.

Not one of Rudd's comments has been constant: The proposed referendum to be held in Barbados on whether or not it should become a Republic will provide an impetus to our republicans and particularly to our media which will undoubtedly call for immediate moves towards constitutional change and whilst the Prime Minister had said that a republic was not high on his agenda and later that a referendum would not be held during his first term, not one of his comments has been constant, other than it is on his agenda! It may well be true that he, himself, may have other priorities, but it is likewise true that many within his Cabinet are fanatical republicans.

It is therefore reasonable to assume that we could face a scenario where the Rudd Government will introduce a Plebiscite with an innocuous and misleading question such as 'Do you want an Australian as Head of State' and will take a simple majority of 50% plus one as a mandate to use the Australia Acts, the powers of which have never been tested in this area, to circumvent Section 128 by repealing the Constitution Act in its entirety and replacing the Constitution with a republican one of their own drafting. Whilst this would be very unconventional, and some would hold illegal, I ask whenever have these niceties prevented governments, in their belief that Parliament is essentially supreme, from acting first and then contesting any legal challenge, particularly when they have use of the public purse?

Of course this may never happen, but, as in chess, we must always anticipate all potential moves by our opponent and be prepared to counter them. To do otherwise would be failing in our duty to protect our Constitution."

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