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Freedom to Tyranny

- ◆ The history of corruption of American “government” is beyond belief & description.
- ◆ Many good Citizens are in prison or disappeared for exposing the hard truth.
- ◆ All peaceful attempts to stop this criminal use of government tyranny have been blocked.
- ◆ American’s live in relative darkness of political, financial & monetary exploitation.
- ◆ This is a brief overview of how we have lost everything and don’t even realize it



The Rights of the Colonists

“Among the natural rights of Colonists are these;

☀ First a right to life;

☀ Secondly, to liberty;

☀ Thirdly, to property

- ☀ In the state of nature every man is, under God, judge and sole judge of his own rights and of the injuries done him.
- ☀ The natural liberty of man is to be free from any superior power on earth, and not be under the will or legislative authority of man, but only to have the law of nature for his rule.
- ☀ Governors have no right to seek and take what they please...
- ☀ In short, it is the greatest absurdity to suppose it in the power of one, or any number of men, at the entering into society, to renounce their essential natural rights, or the means of preserving those rights;
- ☀ The right to freedom being the gift of God Almighty; it is not in the power of man to alienate this gift and voluntarily become a slave.
- ☀ The absolute rights of Englishmen and all freemen, in or out of civil society, are principally personal security, personal liberty and private property.
- ☀ Secondly, The Legislative has no right to absolute, arbitrary power over the lives and fortunes of the people; nor can mortals assume a prerogative not only too high for men, but for angels, and therefore reserved for the exercise of the Deity alone.
- ☀ Thirdly, The supreme power cannot justly take from any man any part of his property, without his consent in person or by his representative.
- ☀ Now what liberty can there be where property is taken without consent?”

Quoted from “The Rights of the Colonists, The Report of the Committee of Correspondence to the Boston

Town Meeting;; Nov. 20, 1772, Ben Franklin’s Preface.



The Takings

- ◆ Takings of property accelerated in 1913 with the illegitimate ratification of the 16th Amendment and the Federal Reserve Act.
- ◆ CONgress passed the Federal Reserve Act without the required Constitutional Amendment during Christmas break in 1913. The central bankers worked for over 20 years to accomplish this according to numerous independent and credible sources.
- ◆ "If you..examine the 16th Amendment carefully, you would find that a sufficient number of states never ratified that amendment" U.S. District Court Judge, James C. Fox 2003
- ◆ The American congress is one of main causes of our loss of freedom including the near loss of the American Revolution in 1776.
- ◆ France came to our rescue in large part because of their dislike of King George III.



Printing Money Without Paying Interest

- ◆ American government is authorized by the Constitution to print VALUE based currency and coins for free without paying interest to the banks.
 - Interest is usurious and originally considered a crime by the church
 - Our Founding Fathers saw through this scheme and tried to prevent it in our Constitution.
 - But failed
- ◆ The Peter Grace Commission study found 100% of our taxes go to pay interest to the bankers.
- ◆ A federal jury unanimously found Tommy Cryer not guilty on two misdemeanor counts of failure to file., prosecution dismissed two felony charges of tax evasion prior to trial.
 - <http://www.libertypost.org/cgi-bin/readart.cgi?ArtNum=194667>





How American's Were Taken on Taxes

- ◆ There are eight different Supreme Court decisions that the 16th Amendment could not be used to tax the people – DVD Documentary America – Freedom to Fascism Aaron Russo
- ◆ The IRS will not explain or answer questions of why taxes are required, e.g. there is no law requiring Americans to file a 1040 on their personal income.
- ◆ 70 million adults do not file income taxes according to Aaron Russo's documentary Freedom To Fascism
- ◆ Withholding tax is on the ropes - <http://www.wethepeoplefoundation.org/UPDATE/Update2007-07-19.htm>
- ◆ Over 18.5 million homes are vacant and their owners are in more desperate situations in large part because of the criminal takings of usury interest, illegitimate property taxes, state and federal income taxes, estate taxes and abusive regulations.



How American's Were Taken On Interest & Taxes

- ◆ American monetary & income tax system go against the founding and fundamental laws of the land
- ◆ "The individual unlike the corporation, cannot be taxed for the mere privilege of existing. The corporation is an artificial entity which owes its existence and charter powers to the state; but the individuals' rights to live and own property are natural rights for the enjoyment of which an excise cannot be imposed." Redfield v. Fisher. 292 P.819
- ◆ "Right to earn a living is an inalienable right guaranteed by the Bill of Rights of the constitution." City of Louisville e al. v. Sebree, 214 S.W. 2d 248
- ◆ Income = corporate profit and gain NOT wages
- ◆ The illegitimate 16th Amendment was meant to tax the very rich businesses and families, who were not paying taxes before 1913 AND who were so powerful they were controlling the government.
- ◆ "The few who understand the system, will either be so interested in its profits, or so dependent on its favors that there will be no opposition from that class, while on the other hand, the great body of people, mentally incapable of comprehending the tremendous advantages...will bear its burden without complaint, and perhaps without complaint, and perhaps without suspecting that the system is inimical (Injurious or harmful in effect; adverse) to their best interests." Rothchild Brothers
- ◆ Our constitutional tax system based solely on indirect uniform taxes from 1776 to 1913 was fraudulently and progressively changed to illegitimate graduated taxes on private property including wages.

How American's Were Taken On Interest & Taxes (Cont.)

- ◆ The U.S. Supreme court reaffirmed wages could not be taxed in at least one landmark tax case .
 - The high court stated, even after the 16th Amendment was illegitimately passed...
 - There was no change to the prior taxing law...
 - i.e. “income” tax is profit and gain, not the wages upon individuals.
 - i.e. wages are private property and were not taxed from 1776 to 1913
- ◆ The Central Banks have long ago breached the “Mother” of all takings of property, i.e. the American monetary systems along with 60 some other countries
 - Section 8. Clause 5. , "To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures."
 - Think Spanish SILVER dollar
 - "After ratification of the Constitution, a dollar would contain 371.25 grains of fine silver....
 - and all items in commerce, including other coins were to be measured to that standard” “Creature From Jekyll Island”



How American's were Taken on Interest & Taxes (Cont.)

- ◆ The interest cost of American government meddling in wars, illegitimate social & environmental programs , funding international governments, subsidizing failing infrastructure were transferred to the American working class.
- ◆ This cost could have been covered without paying interest to the central banks by the mere printing and/or electronic transfer to the government agencies and non government contractors.
- ◆ Both political parties not only helped create these unimaginable takings but live off of perpetuating and increasing the usurious interest , illegitimate tax takings.
- ◆ There is no provision in our Constitution that allows for fiat money.
 - Fiat money, i.e. irredeemable paper money
 - To Congress shall have power to coin Money, regulate Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures, U.S. Constitution Article I, Section 8, Clause 5
 - No state shall...make any Thing but gold and silver Coin a Tender in Payment of Debt, Art. I, Sect. 10, Clause 1.
- ◆ “The monetary system we have today has been imposed on us by coercion, misrepresentations, and material non-disclosure. “
- ◆ “I believe the banking institutions are more dangerous to our liberties than standing armies” Thomas Jefferson



The Absolute Nature of Individual Freedom & Liberty

◆ Freedom -

1. The state of being at liberty rather than in confinement or under physical restraint.
2. Exemption from external control, interference, regulation, etc.
3. Power of determining one's or its own action.
4. The power to make one's own choices/decisions without constraint, autonomy
5. Civil liberty, as opposed to subjection to an arbitrary or despotic government
 - Freedom means free choice,
 - No force, no coercion, no laws that take individual freedom & liberty,
 - No taxes on private property including wages, land, home, water, etc.
 - No legislation that takes or imposes on any individual rights,
 - No executive orders that take from individual rights,
 - No government or non government groups planning to confiscate your house size, your land use, your home use, the water on or under your land, etc.



Property And Freedom

- ✿ “The main Roman contribution to the idea of property lay in the realm of law. Roman jurists were the first to formulate the concept of absolute private ownership, which they called dominion and applied to real estate and slaves, a concept lacking in the Greek vocabulary.” pg. 11
- ✿ “Roman jurisprudence went to great lengths to stipulate every conceivable nuance of property rights: how acquired and how lost, how transferred, how sold. The rights implicit in dominium were so absolute that ancient Rome knew nothing of eminent domain” pg. 11
- ✿ “The founders of Protestantism went beyond of Catholic Church’s tolerance of property: both Luther and Calvin emphatically endorsed it, linking it with labor...Luther condemned the rebellious peasants of Germany as mad dogs for seizing estates saying that the Gospels did not call for making the goods of others common property ... pg. 17
- ✿ “To protect clerical holdings from seizures by the crown theologians now referred to property as an inalienable right....the authority of the state did not extend to the property of its subjects. The argument was buttressed with references to Roman law, which rediscovered & taught in Italian universities beginning in the early twelfth century.” pg. 18
- ✿ Source: Property And Freedom, Richard Pipes



Property And Freedom

- ◆ “With the surge of commerce (in the late middle ages), however, property in some parts of Europe came also to mean capital; and capital was free of association with politics, being treated as a personal asset and, as such, owned without qualifications.” pg. 25
- ◆ “Two further factors contributed to the ascendancy of property.
 - One was the rise of individualism.
 - ... mention must be made of the reemergence of the Stoic idea of the Law of Nature. The concept was never wholly abandoned in the Middle Ages, ...Renaissance theorist turned to Roman literary and legal texts. They revived the idea,...that the Law of Nature antedated positive laws and that all humans possessed innate rights which governments could not violate because states had been set up for the express purpose of protecting them. pg. 27
- ◆ “He must neither confiscate his subjects’ assets nor tax them without their assent (arbitrary taxation being tantamount to confiscation), pg. 28
 - because divine law lays it down, “that no one may plunder that which is the property of another”
- ◆ Dutch jurist Hugo Grotius, “On the Law of War and Peace” (1625) widely acknowledged to have laid the foundations of international law, pg.28
 - His major premise holds that men are under the obligation “to preserve social peace” and that “the principal condition for a peaceful community is respect for one another’s rights, prominent ..are the rights of ownership.
- ◆ Source: “Property And Freedom” Richard Pipes



Property And Freedom

- ◆ “..in the course of the seventeenth century, it became wisely accepted in Western Europe that there exists a Law of Nature which is national, unchanging and unchangeable, and transcends human positive laws; that one facet of the Law of Nature is the inviolability of private property; and that sovereigns are bound to respect their subjects’ belongings, even as they deny them the right to participate in affairs of state.” pg. 29
- ◆ “Indeed, the acknowledgment of the subjects’ rights to the undisturbed enjoyment of their properties justified denying them political rights, on the grounds that reciprocity demanded the subjects leave the sovereign the full power to run the affairs of state. “pg. 29
- ◆ “Which is what Charles I seems to have had in mind, ..standing on the scaffold, he said..
 - “liberty and freedom consist in having of Government, those laws by which their life and goods may be most their won. It is not for having share in Government, Sirs; that is nothing pertaining to them.” pg. 29
- ◆ “England underwent a succession of conflicts between the crown and parliament over their respective powers & specifically over the right of the king to tax without parliamentary consent - a conflict ..culminated in 1649 in the execution of Charles I.
- ◆ Source: “Property And Freedom”, Richard Pipes



Property And Freedom

- ◆ “There were hints of this concept in Grotius’s writings, (1625). He divided “things belonging to individuals” into alienable” and “inalienable.” The former applied to “things which by their nature can belong to one person as well as to another.” Inalienable things are things which belong so essentially to one man that they could not belong to another, as a man’s life, body, freedom, honor - attributes of personality sanctified by the Law of Nature. “ pg. 30
- ◆ “The distinction allowed Grotius to deny people the right to give up their liberty by placing themselves in bondage. These passages, which Grotius wrote between 1618 and 1621 while in prison for political dissidence, may well be the earliest articulation in intellectual history of the theory that liberty is “inalienable” property, there by laying the foundation of the concept of inalienable rights. pg. 31
- ◆ Six years later (1646) a radical Leveller insisted that “by natural birth all men are equally and alike born to like propriety, liberty and freedom. The notion of “inalienable rights”, popularized by English radicals in the seventeenth century, has been said to cover “anything which it was reasonable to want,” including one’s religion....
- ◆ Source: “Property And Freedom”, Richard Pipes



Property And Freedom

- ◆ “The political message of Locke, (1690) however, is clear and unambiguous; **the king must not violate any of his subjects’ property rights; if he does, he is “at war” with them and my be disobeyed.**” pg. 37
- ◆ “In May 1789 the Estate General drafted cahiers de doléances defining liberty along with property as sacred rights which the state was duty-bound to uphold. The consecration of property rights justified the abolition of feudal rights, which the revolutionaries declared .. not property but privilege.” Pg. 43
- ◆ “In August of the same year, the National Assembly (of French revolutionaries) adopted the Declaration of Rights of Man and the Citizen, which declared property to be one of the “natural and unalienable rights of man.” pg. 43
- ◆ “The constitution adopted by the Convention in 1793 stated in Article 2 that “equality, liberty, security, and property” were among the fundamental and inalienable rights of man. Similar sentiments pervades the Napoleonic Code (Code Civil) of 1804, which swept aside all limitations on ownership left over from feudal times and adopted virtually word for word the Roman definition of property.
- ◆ Source: “Property And Freedom” Richard Pipes



Property And Freedom

- ◆ “Property guarantees are thus of critical importance: “Economic growth will occur if property rights make it worthwhile to undertake socially productive activity.” North has demonstrated in particular how the introduction in England of patent rights encouraged inventors to make public their inventions and in this manner stimulated the Industrial Revolution.” pg. 63
- ◆ “As the twentieth century draws to a close, the benefits of private ownership for both liberty and prosperity are acknowledged as they had not been in nearly two hundred years. Except for a few isolated oases of self-perpetuating poverty, such as North Korea and Cuba, where Communists manage to hang on to power and except for the minds of a still sizable but dwindling number of academics, the ideal of common ownership is everywhere in retreat.” pg. 63
- ◆ “Since the 1980’s, privatization has been sweeping the world at an ever accelerating pace. Thus Aristotle has triumphed over Plato.” pg. 63
- ◆ Source: Property And Freedom” Richard Pipes

The Cloak of Taking in America

- Basic freedoms and liberties are taken using mythomania, semantic swindling, agenda “consensus” junk political “science” combined with legal fiction, e.g.
 - Internal Revenue Department,
 - Department of Interior,
 - Department of Agricultural,
 - Department of Energy,
 - Department of Ecology,
 - "Endangered" Species Act,
 - "Environmental" "Protection" Act,
 - Non government partnerships with government, e.g. Puget Sound Partnership, County DDES
- Government and non government groups make an end runs around the system, e.g..
 - UN, central bankers, open border interests, green extremes, multinationals, globalists, NEA, etc.
- Deception is the tool of taking, e.g.
 - “man caused” global warming, “endangered” species, “alternative” energy, “fossil fuels are bad”, zoning, growth management, “critical areas”, “wetlands”, “shorelines”

The Taking of America By Government



- ⊕ The three branches of government are NOT separate or independent, nor were they ever.
- ⊕ “The Constitution and all the laws enacted pursuant to the Constitution is the supreme law of the land for government not for the sovereign and free state Citizens
- ⊕ English common law is the law for the people in 49 of the 50 states.
- ⊕ Candidates who get votes make laws and the people are made (forced) to obey them.
- ⊕ The ultimate democratic law is the rule of the majority.
- ⊕ Republics are based on the rule of law.
- ⊕ Natural law was called upon to free the fledgling republics known as the united States.
- ⊕ The common law jury was no match for a full time Congress determined to enact whatever legislation might be necessary to correct the people in what Congress perceived to be their errant ways.”
- ⊕ Source: “The Congressional Judicial Hoax” A California Case Study, by Dr. Eduardo M. Rivera



The Taking of America By CONgress

- ◆ “What Judge Napolitano and others perceive to be Constitutional chaos is congressional conniving sustained by a judicial conspiracy to hide the true nature the federal courts and federal laws.
- ◆ The Constitution initially appears to have functioned without too many incursions into personal freedoms because federal territorial law did not extend into private lives.
- ◆ Federal judges were scarce while there was federal territory to make ready for statehood, but as soon as the last great territories became states, Congress was ready to maintain and use the secret of the federal courts to create a national democracy that would rival the emerging European fascist states.
- ◆ The Declaration of Independence has always been a first line of defense against fascism,

The Taking of America By The Central Banks

⊗ The illegitimate Federal Reserve Act and 16th Amendment takings are endless, e.g.

- The American government's ability to print currency & fund national needs without interest has been taken.
- The current worthless fiat currency is a forced exchange of foreign debt obligations created out of thin air by the national and international central banks
- The independent several states have the right to print and coin value based money
 - With a $\frac{3}{4}$ vote in Congress
 - Each state has the right to mint its own value based standard currency and coin
 - The central banksters do not want any competition against their debt based paper tyranny
- The Federal Reserve Act was amended 196 times expanding its power to become more corrupt.
- U.S. Secretary of State Knox knowingly caused the 16th Amendment to be passed against the will of the people and the states.
- The 16th Amendment though illegitimate was meant to only tax the wealthy family businesses at the time who were paying no tax.
- Positivism and the move away from the constitution pushed by elite academia has rendered our laws and courts into clay.
- Most of inflation is caused by this ability to print fiat money WITHOUT a precious metal standard required by the Constitution.
- America has a Bureau of Weights and Standards for everything.....except for currency, which was removed by the bankers and CONgress.
- America would be more prosperous beyond our wildest dreams if the founding and fundamental principals had been consistently upheld



The Taking of America By Politicians

- ◆ “The first sentence of the Declaration of Independence explains the Laws of Nature and of Nature’s God establish the rules by which free people shall live”
- ◆ The Declaration of Independence proclaims that “it is their Right, it is their Duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future Security.”
- ◆ Neither Congress nor the state legislatures have the power to enact a legal duty to obey government law.
- ◆ The clearly recognized and fundamental right and duty in the people to throw off despotic government prevents the imposition of a legal duty to obey American government.



The Taking of America By Politicians

- ◆ After July 4, 1776, government cannot enact laws that establish a legal duty to obey government law.
- ◆ The Constitution imposes limitations on government actors and punishments are clearly limited to certain specified violations of law.
- ◆ Once American Patriots who had fought for freedom against the British got a little power they, of course, became American politicians.
- ◆ Now in politics, these newly minted politicians had to overcome the Constitution and lack of authority over the people.
- ◆ The Congress overcame these problems, almost immediately, by legislating for federal territory where the Constitution has limited application.

Marbury vs.. Madison, U.S. Supreme Court

◆ *Marbury vs.. Madison, U.S. Supreme Court*

- The question, whether an act, repugnant to the constitution, can become the law of the land, is a question deeply interesting to the United States; but, happily, not of an intricacy proportioned to its interest. It seems only necessary to recognize certain principles, supposed to have been long and well established, to decide it.
- The government of the United States is of the latter description. The powers of the legislature are defined and limited; and that those limits may not be mistaken or forgotten, the constitution is written. To what purpose are powers limited, and to what purpose is that limitation committed to writing; if these limits may, at any time, be passed by those intended to be restrained? The distinction between a government with limited and unlimited powers is abolished, if those limits do not confine the persons on whom they are imposed, and if acts prohibited and acts allowed are of equal obligation. It is a proposition too plain to be contested, that the constitution controls any legislative act repugnant to it; or, that the legislature may alter the constitution by an ordinary act.
- Certainly all those who have framed written constitutions contemplate them as forming the fundamental and paramount law of the nation, and consequently the theory of every such government must be, that an act of the legislature repugnant to the constitution is void.
- If an act of the legislature, repugnant to the constitution, is void, does it, notwithstanding its invalidity, bind the courts and oblige them to give it effect? Or, in other words, though it be not law, does it constitute a rule as operative as if it was a law? This would be to overthrow in fact what was established in theory; and would seem, at first view, an absurdity too gross to be insisted on. It shall, however, receive a more attentive consideration.
- Thus, the particular phraseology of the constitution of the United States confirms and strengthens the principle, supposed to be essential to all written constitutions, that a law repugnant to the constitution is void, and that courts, as well as other departments, are bound by that instrument.



Marbury vs.. Madison Recap

* In Summary

- All legislation and laws repugnant to the Constitution are void.
- The three branches of government are not independent as intended.
- The current model of a hierarchy of municipal corporations is repugnant and void.
- The current monetary system is repugnant to the Constitution and void.
- The current tax system (union, states, counties & cities) is repugnant to the Constitution and void.
- Most departments of government are repugnant to the Constitution and void.
- The educational system is repugnant to the Constitution and void

None Dare Speak The Truth

Clearly we have an illegitimate government far beyond “unconstitutional” and “void”.

- ◆ The U.S. Constitution was never unanimously approved by the several states
 - NOR approved by the 13 Republics and Commonwealths
 - NOR approved by the some 3 million people.
- ◆ The 50 “states” constitutions are NOT true and honest Constitutional Republics
- ◆ The so called 14th Amendment was never ratified
- ◆ The so called 16th Amendment was never ratified
- ◆ The so called 17th Amendment was never ratified
- ◆ The unFederal unReserve Act was never property ratified
- ◆ American supply of gold and silver cannot be audited
- ◆ American’s have been taken beyond what they can ever imagine or believe



None Dare Speak The Truth

- ◆ The Founding Fathers dread of large standing armies over the people has come true.
- ◆ We The People have no militia as the Framers intended.
 - The National Guard is not militia.
 - In New Orleans, National Guard used tie wraps to cuff home owners to stop them from protecting themselves.
- ◆ FREE CHOICE has been long replaced by escalating force, tyranny and deception.



The High Courts vs.. The Low Courts

- ◆ Lower courts and Congress at the state and federal level ignore the law from the high courts
- ◆ High courts are dumbed down with progressive and international “law”.
- ◆ We have political courts with..
 - No memory of the reasons for the American Revolution
 - No memory of the Declarations of Independence
 - Selective memory of the Constitution
 - Selective use or non use of prior high court rulings
- ◆ This is a deadly spiral of death to our freedoms and liberties.





The High Courts vs.. The Low Courts

- ◆ Local cities, counties and states learn fast to take property when there is no punishment to “government “
- ◆ Because of a growing police state to force increasing tyrannical and criminal taking of property
 - The war has moved into the courts
- ◆ The awareness of this break down in the higher courts is authored below
 - "Constitutional in Exile" - Judge Napolitano
 - "The Supremacists" - Phyllis Schlafly
 - "Constitutional Chaos" - Judge Napolitano
 - "Men in Black" - Mark Levin
 - "The Tyranny of Tolerance" - Circuit Judge Dierker
 - "Judicial Tyranny" - Jeffrey A. Dickstein



Conspiracy, Larceny, Fraud

- ◆ **"Give me control of a nations money supply and I care not who makes the laws"**
 - Mayer Rothschild, Private Banker (Mayer is not misspelled)

- ◆ **Conspiracy** (The Random House Dictionary of the English Language)
 - 1. the act of conspiring.
 - 2. an evil, unlawful, treacherous or surreptitious plan formulated in secret by two or more persons; plot.
 - 3. a combination of persons for a secret, unlawful, or evil purpose.
 - 4. Law. an agreement two or more persons to commit a crime, fraud or their wrongful act

- ◆ **Larceny**
 - 1. Law. the wrongful taking and carrying away of the personal goods of another with intent to convert them to the taker's own use.

- ◆ **Fraud**
 - 1. Deceit, trickery, or breach of confidence used to gain some unfair or dishonest advantage
 - 2. A particular instance of such deceit or trickery
 - 3. Any deception or trickery
 - 4. A deceitful person; impostor



How Long Will It Take to Return to Freedom?

Answer these questions below to extrapolate your Return to Freedom.

- How fast did the Berlin wall come down?
- How fast did capitalism spread through China?
- How long did all the tyrannical dictatorships last even with genocide?
- How long can you tell people how to live?
- How long can you enslave another human being?
- How long will your neighbor, friend or family want to enslave you with their ideologies?
- How long will it take us to understand that you cannot force anyone to do anything forever?
- How long will it take us to understand that taking from the government in anyway, takes everyone else's freedom?
- How long will it take for the average American to understand the true and honest meaning of "freedom" and "liberty"?
- How long can you last without government or its infrastructure, when it does collapse?
- The City of Seattle is telling its residents they (the city government) will not be able to get to them quickly in a major disaster.
- New Orleans was a disaster & a tuff lesson to those who become dependent on government.
- How long will it take to wean ourselves from whatever government does offer
- How long will it take to be independent



Awaken

by Lawrence Tribble

One man awake,
Awakens another
The second awakens
His next door brother.
The three awake can rouse a town
By Turning
The whole place
Upside down.
The many awake
Can make such a fuss
It finally awakens
The rest of us
One man up,
With dawn in his eyes,
Surely then
Multiplies

"The Great Awakening touched every section of the colonial domains of England in the new World – from northernmost New England to southernmost Georgia. And its impact was enormous. Interestingly, this cultural and

spiritual phenomenon was driven entirely by grassroots evangelism and community cooperation, as this famous verse by

Lawrence Tribble illustrates." The Pocket Patriot by George Grant



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Figure 3: IPRI Ranking by Quintile

| | Top 20 percent | 2nd Quintile | 3rd Quintile | 4th Quintile | Bottom 20 percent |
|-----------|----------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| strongest | Finland | Qatar | Uruguay | Benin | Nepal |
| | Denmark | South Korea | Slovenia | Sri Lanka | Azerbaijan |
| | Sweden | Taiwan | Poland | Honduras | Ethiopia |
| | Netherlands | Estonia | India | Tanzania | Uganda |
| | Norway | Malta | Latvia | Philippines | Serbia |
| | Switzerland | Cyprus | Panama | Vietnam | Ecuador |
| | New Zealand | Oman | Romania | Zambia | Pakistan |
| | Singapore | Hungary | Jamaica | Montenegro | Guyana |
| | Australia | Chile | Bulgaria | Mauritania | Armenia |
| | Austria | Slovakia | Turkey | Dominican Republic | Cameroon |
| | Luxembourg | Puerto Rico | Trinidad and Tobago | Moldova | Albania |
| | Germany | Israel | Ghana | Argentina | Nigeria |
| | Canada | Czech Republic | Thailand | Peru | Georgia |
| | Ireland | Bahrain | Brazil | Kazakhstan | Algeria |
| | United States | Lithuania | China | Guatemala | Libya |
| | Iceland | Jordan | Morocco | Kenya | Bosnia and Herzegovina |
| | United Kingdom | Saudi Arabia | Egypt | Russia | Nicaragua |
| | Japan | Malaysia | Colombia | Brunei | Paraguay |
| | Hong Kong | Italy | Syria | Madagascar | Bolivia |
| | Belgium | Botswana | Croatia | Senegal | Burundi |
| | France | Greece | El Salvador | Mozambique | Chad |
| | United Arab Emirates | Mauritius | Mali | Ukraine | Zimbabwe |
| | Portugal | Tunisia | Mexico | Kyrgyz Republic | Venezuela |
| | South Africa | Kuwait | Malawi | Indonesia | Côte d'Ivoire |
| weakest | Spain | Costa Rica | Burkina Faso | Macedonia | Bangladesh |

Figure 3 presents the IPRI rankings by quintile. The color prism relates the quintiles to a specified color: purple for the top quintile, blue for the second quintile, green for the third, yellow for the fourth, and red for the bottom quintile. This year, countries are evenly distributed among quintiles with 25 countries in each. Additionally, the map on IPRI's distribution, displayed in the inside cover of this report, indicates which country belongs to which quintile. Again, because of the increased country coverage this year, it is difficult to compare directly any changes in quintile position from last year to this year.

And
Falling

