

# Weekly Update by Mark Armstrong - 17 December 2021

Greetings from Tyler,

Just as we suspected, it goes on and on. The purveyors of acceptable information have never heard of many of the FACTS and arguments that would substantially curtail their power. They wax insulting to anyone who dares to point out that there are treatments that some might consider as opposed to the mandates they're pushing.

How is it that professional athletic teams have complied with orders from on high (*or on low, in Dr. Fauci's case*) and are still closing facilities and canceling games due to "outbreaks." Just get your shots, and stop asking questions. That's the message. As for India's success after distribution of very inexpensive treatments, they never heard of it and wouldn't accept it if they had.

Maybe the whole movement that has overtaken the media and compliant corporations is beginning to implode. It turns out that Nordstrom's department stores have given six figure donations to "charities" that are trying to defund the police. It made me look at the flash-mob burglaries in a whole new way. Those stores we've seen smashed and looted had already paid for protection from those who would call them racist, and still got hit. Now they're begging Congress to "do something."

You can't listen to any news at all without hearing that crime is off the chart all over the place. The mainstream media dropped the story about the criminal who ran over the dancing grannies at the parade in Wisconsin. They tried to blame it on the car. These SUV's are on the rampage! They don't want to mention that the perpetrator had a fifty page rap sheet, and had knocked over his baby mama with the same car just a week before. You can't blame the crime wave on the fact that criminals are being let back out on the street as soon as they're charged, can you?

Things have gotten so bad on the West Coast that people are parking their cars with the trunk or hatchback wide open and the doors unlocked. That way criminals can see that there's nothing inside without smashing the windows. If

they take the whole car, at least the windows won't be broken if it ever comes back. Ah, life in the big city.

Just another two weeks, and we'll have survived another holiday season. The Salvation Army shot itself in the foot (*or maybe the head*) when they scolded their potential donors to admit what racists they are. Maybe that wasn't the smartest thing they've ever done. That bell-ringer is sure to get a piece of my mind. I'll give them a couple of bucks and ask them to stop the clanging at least until I get inside, but I'm not recommending that you do that.

Today our printer was making a delivery, and as I walked with him back to his car he asked, "How come ya'll don't keep X-mas?" Probably wishes he hadn't. It didn't take long to explain that trees and fertility customs were common to pagan societies long before the birth of Christ, and there's no way shepherds were tending flocks in the field in the dead of winter, especially around Jerusalem.

My Dad used to say on television, "Is your religion any good to you if it makes sense?" Apparently not to the mainstream. It's all about emotion, and gifts, and family gatherings. That's all wonderful, but what's it got to do with the birth of Jesus?

The letter written today goes into much more detail about the mindlessness we're facing, and it should be in your mailbox soon. Hard to believe that it's almost 2022, and that we're in the absolute mess the mainstream is making of our lives and our country. We're praying for some relief one more time, not knowing if we'll get it or not. But we'll keep making a stink regardless.

Have a great Sabbath.

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