

Sodom & Gomorrah, Anyone?

How do I do this and not be so negative, moaning all the time at the way things look in our once great nation and in our formerly golden state?

I have been struggling with what to put in this space, wanting to have something light, happy, or amusing, but everywhere I look, I see overwhelming darkness and evil. Politicians who are partnering with our enemies. Radical leftists -- communists -- men who think they are women, women who think they are men, running federal agencies. Deviant weirdos holding office all over the federal government. Weak politicians who get elected to Congress and immediately renege on their promises to us. A state governor who is passing horrible, godless legislation right and left, and then topping it with legislation aimed at shutting up people like us who know and say openly how evil it all is. Loss of world leadership in living the principles of freedom, democracy, and morality.

It's hard to face the fact of the high-speed crumbling of our society. Some people talk as if we must stand up and fight to save our nation. When I hear that, I just die, because I know that it's too late for that.

An email buddy introduced me to two California organizations that are trying to push back on this stuff. I went to the website of one, the California Family Council (CFC) and found a great tool to learn and follow some of the legislation before our grossly corrupt Assembly and Senate in Sacramento. They provide a chart of 54 bills, a summary of their contents, and their status in the legislature at this time.

Of these 54, the CFC, who represents those of us with traditional family and faith values, opposes 33, is watching 5, and supports

16. Of those they oppose, 12 promote, protect, and pay for abortion. 8 promote, protect, and assist homosexuality and transgenderism. Four deal with potential vaccine mandates, mostly prohibiting any exemptions for religious belief. One of the worst of those, AB2223, was pulled during the last few days due to the intensity of citizens' opposition, which says that we need to intensely oppose those 33 that the CFC opposes and get them pulled.

Other bills punish those of us who object to this stuff and dare to say so on the internet or social media. A couple of them remove the parents' right to know what their children are doing by removing the parental consent requirement to actually maim young bodies and turn them into the opposite sex, as if that were possible.



I cannot get into the specific list in any more detail due to space and time requirements. If you want more information, please go to the California Family Council website (CaliforniaFamily.org) where you will see at the top of their home page "Bills to Watch". Click on that link, and you will find a great chart of these pending bills.

At this point of my disbelief that Americans could go so low as to seriously push these agendas, I must turn to the Bible (gasp! That's hate literature, according to some.)

From Deuteronomy the Old Testament:

"There shall not be found

among you anyone who burns his son or his daughter (child sacrifice, aka abortion in our time) as an offering, for whoever does these things is an abomination to the LORD. And because of these abominations the LORD your God is driving them out before you." (Deuteronomy 18)

"If a man lies with a male as with a woman, both of them have committed an abomination; they shall surely be put to death; their blood is upon them." (Leviticus 20:13)

From Romans, in the New Testament:

"For this reason God gave them up to dishonorable passions. For their women exchanged natural relations for those that are contrary to nature; and the men likewise gave up natural relations with women and were consumed with passion for one another, men committing shameless acts with

men and receiving in themselves the due penalty for their error.

"And since they did not see fit to acknowledge God, God gave them up to a debased mind to do what ought not to be done. They were filled with all manner of unrighteousness, evil, covetousness, malice. They are full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, maliciousness. They are gossips, slanderers, haters of God, insolent, haughty, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient to parents, foolish, faithless, heartless, ruthless. Though they know God's righteous decree that those who practice such things deserve to die, they not only do them but give approval to those who practice them."

Linda Gummel

The Babylon Bee

(This is satire! LG)

Oh No! Noah Accidentally Fills Ark With Only Male Animals Because He's Not A Biologist



THE ARK—God has promised to flood the Earth due to mankind's wickedness and has tasked Noah with building an ark and taking with him a pair of each kind of animal to preserve their offspring. Unfortunately, all of the animals selected ended up being males as Noah is not a biologist.

"Let's see here...every kind of clean animal, unclean animal, and bird of the air. Looks like we got 'em all!" exclaimed Noah surveying all the animals on board. "We're ready to be sealed up and not a moment too late—the water is rising fast!"

According to members of his family, just as Noah was sitting down and getting settled, the Lord asked Noah why the ark was full of only male animals and not male and female pairs of each kind. "Well, the funny thing is, God, I'm not really what you might call a biologist so I have no way of knowing if I grabbed a male or female."

"I just took a wild guess and did my best in this context. Without any special, official training it was impossible to tell them apart." continued Noah. "So not a single female on board, huh? Honestly, I'm not even sure how I managed to do that. My bad?"

At publishing time, the Lord said his heart was grieved and that he regretted making human beings on the earth.

Hunter Harbor!

A few weeks ago, we received a letter at the store from Hunter Harbor, signed by Angie Smith. The address was Lucerne Valley, but I had never met or heard of Angie Smith or Hunter Harbor. Here in Lucerne Valley? What's this?

In the letter, Angie described what you see below: a new effort to use an old facility in our great town, to serve those who need it most and to give a hand up to those who will show a willingness to pull themselves out of their predicament.

I asked around to find anyone

who knew of Angie, and was surprised that a close friend, one who shares the Spirit of God, knew of Angie and gave her a thumbs up for her character and service to the community, which she has been doing for many years here. (Really?? Dumb me!!!) Angie has been heading up the Celebrate Recovery program at Crossroads Chapel for a number of years, among other things.

So here is her flyer that describes her new mission, located in the old motel building between the Valero gas station and the flood control channel. -- LG

COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER

A Resource Center for Public Health

Hunter Harbor is a 501c3 organization focused on providing support and educational resources to the community of Lucerne Valley. The recent acquisition of the former Lucerne Valley Domestic Violence Shelter provides a location central to the community we serve. We are currently seeking partnership with individuals and businesses to expand our list of services and provide outreach to the most vulnerable in our community.

Current Services:

- USDA food giveaway once a month in cooperation with a local church.

Planned services:

- Legal Aid Services.
- Housing for individuals.
- Individual Counseling Services: addiction recovery, trauma, mental illness.
- Celebrate Recovery: a nationally recognized recovery program.

- Domestic Violence classes provided through a licensed and certified county program.
- Transportation services to MD appointments, etc.

Current Needs:

- Renovation of offices and apartments, including flooring, plumbing, and electrical.
- Kitchen appliances: 30 inch electric stove, toaster, and freezer.

Donations Requested:

- Anyone willing to spend time helping with repairs and clean up.
- New twin size bedding (mattresses, sheets, pillows, and blankets.)
- New bath towels, toiletries.
- Disposable kitchenware.
- Any financial gift is greatly appreciated.

Please call **760.220.3287** or mail to P.O. Box 997, Lucerne Valley, CA, 92356 to volunteer time or material. We look forward to hearing from you!

Lucerne Valley's MEGA SWAP MEET!

May 14, Saturday, 8am to 3pm

Call today to reserve your space to sell!

Jack O Landia -- 760-220-6040

Cadillac Antiques -- 760-278-1885

Cafe 247 -- 951-751-1039

LV Chamber -- 562-522-8775

Henry's Bargains -- 760-524-8519

His Closet -- 760-412-0431

Funny Farm Creations -- 760-220-9830

Lucerne Valley Market & Hardware -- **SOLD OUT**

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The LV Garden Club is planning to have their annual sale on May 14 in the LV Market parking lot!



On The Lighter Side . . . Contributed from the Web

Inspired by Putin's speech for former USSR land, Italy claims former Roman Empire territories...



"My tolerance for idiots is extremely low these days. I used to have some immunity built up, but obviously, there's a new strain out there."

"It's not my age that bothers me, it's the side effects."

Remember when leftists said Trump was going to crash the economy and start WWII?



They were only off by one president!

"I'm on two diets. I wasn't getting enough food on one."

"My mind is like an internet browser. At least 19 open tabs, 3 of them are frozen, and I have no clue where the music is coming from."



WE ARE IN THE MIDST OF THE LONGEST, SADDEST, MOST EXCRUCIATING AND UNSATISFYING "I TOLD YOU SO" IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD.