

America is a Pagan Nation



As a nation, our core values have changed. Can we again be a Christian Nation?

We are no longer a Christian nation, but a pagan nation. It is historically true, that in the founding of our country, Christian values prevailed. It is also historically true that our Christian values carried this nation into greatness ... before man and God. The documents of our country's formation reflect biblical and Christian values. The practices of our founding leaders exhibited them. The walls and monuments in our land testify of them. The earlier history books declared them. The values of our country's early centuries demonstrated them – in our corrections and confirmations.

America's history has lost the testimony of its Christian heritage. The secular history of our nation has suffered the "changes" that have been erroneously stated about our founding fathers, our formative years and our fervent Christian convictions. This is due in part to "scholars" trying to replace our true Bible (KJV, which now has a 400+ year record of public usage) with flaunted counterfeit, false translations (in the late 1800's) filled with contextual faddish traditions that focused on cultural favorable transitions. The Authority of Christian life and service was, therefore, sought to be weakened by flooding the market with multiple so-called "new bibles". Thus, the "schools" of ministry were greatly affected, as were the "churches" that adopted these texts from the publishers. Religious schools, in turn, produced a generation of polluted graduates from the seminaries, to fill the leadership roles in Christendom. Over decades, this has produced confused congregation of "Christians" that truly have become the silent majority – silent in their Christian faith. This has allowed a pagan country to grow in "-isms" and cults. Now there are more of them in the USA than there are of us.

The issue today is not that history has been changed, but that Christians have changed.

The decline in our Christian nation happened when Bible believing people, who were the majority, became silent. The silencing of the saints was a slow, but sure process. Witnessing took on many definitions, but excluded truly sharing one's faith. Weak "bibles" left weak "Christians" and weak churches. Programs, promotions, personalities, etc. energized the churches. The world's materialism, carnality and styles became acceptable to the Christian community. The world's witness to the world became more fruitful than the Christians' witness to the world. The world's morality, money and philosophy became more and more attractive to the "Christian".

Jer. 2:11, Hath a nation changed their gods, which are yet no gods? But My people have changed their glory for that which does not profit.



Now, there are not enough Christian "boots on the ground" to make a difference ... in voting, in candidating, in electing, in running for office, in appointments, in values. Christians are no longer in a place or position of making change. Many "Christians" have been changed. But more of a factor is that Christians have abandoned "making disciples". Every other cult is out-growing, out-numbering and out-"witnessing" the Christian community. From a Christian point of view, "We the People" have let America become pagan. We have failed to reach our generation for Christ.

The government is becoming the replacement for God ... and the majority of Americans want it that way. "Government Bless America" and "In Government We Trust" have replaced, by both expectations and elections, "God Bless America" and "In God We Trust". This is not the death of a nation. It is, however, the death of a "Christian Nation". The "We the People ..." used to be mostly Christians. We formed and framed this nation for God. Now, God is being removed. Notwithstanding, God can end a nation. (Psalm 9:17, The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God.) But when a nation was founded "under God" and then turns from God, that nation may continue to exist ... but in paganism ... wasted. Isa. 60:12, For the nation and kingdom that will not serve Thee shall perish; yea, those nations shall be utterly wasted. Jer. 7:28, But thou shalt say unto them, This is a nation that obeyeth not the voice of the LORD their God, nor receiveth correction: truth is perished, and is cut off from their mouth.

Can a Nation Be Restored? Can It Return to God? Yes

Jer. 18:8, If that nation, against whom I have pronounced, turn from their evil, I will repent of the evil that I thought to do unto them. **2Chro. 7:14**, If My people, which are called by My name, shall (1) humble themselves, and (2) pray, and (3) seek My face, and (4) turn from their wicked ways; then will I (1) hear from Heaven, and (2) will forgive their sin, and (3) will heal their land. **Psa. 33:12**, Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD ...

Every believer that fails to step fervently forward for Christ, allows America to sink further in the grip of paganism. Only committed, consecrated Christians can save America ... from herself. The solution for America is found in the life-style of the Christian. If we choose to live for God and share our faith, witnessing, winning, discipling ... living our faith, we can turn our nation back to God and godliness. We have lost ground. But we can regain the ground. How? **By** getting grounded in Him (in His Word and in His church), **then** getting our "boots on the ground" for God, **telling** others of the work of God in grace through His Son, Jesus Christ. **By** winning Americans to the Lord. **By** helping them grow in their faith, through God's Word. **By** getting them into a local Bible believing Baptist church for Christian fellowship.



The Saints Must Not be Silent, But Must Shine

Psa. 3:1, Judge me, O God, and plead my cause against an ungodly nation: O deliver me from the deceitful and unjust man.

Prov. 14:34, Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.

Phil 2:15, That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world.

America is a Mission Field ... Our Mission Field

We, who name the name of Christ ... Christians, must bare the blame and bend the knee. We must then bare the Name and give the Gospel to those in our mission field. Every four years we will be tested to see if we bare fruit ... in our national elections.