PRAGMATISM DOESN'T WORK!

America is in trouble, and the politics of conventional ambition and political pragmatism are not working.

We face crises which are, at once, economic, geostrategic, institutional, and, above all, moral. The dumbing-down of school textbooks, the insidious vulgarity conveyed on television, and the degrading humanist culture portrayed and purveyed on our movie screens has helped produce a nation of sheep, spectators who reject the very premises of our nation's Godly heritage, and who too often lack the discernment, or knowledge of history, to reject the incremental, escalating, political confiscation of our individual liberties and national autonomy.

Time is not on our side. Time is running out. If you want to do something about it, join me in launching a new movement which has the potential to slow the tide, and to turn it.

Our strategy is simple, but effective: to establish a party of principle which will have the option of withholding political support from either or both major political parties whenever it is determined that **the lesser of two evils can be the worst outcome of all.**

Politicians like to win elections. If they need us to win, and if our price is not personal power, patronage, or payoffs, they will be forced to reward us in the currency of policy and principle—or suffer the consequences.

But our objective is more profound than to merely achieve victory or defeat in particular electoral contests. Our goal is to recast the entire dialectic of American politics away from humanistic, socialist materialism, and back in the direction of Biblical, constitutional liberty.

Howard A. Phillips

"If, to please the people, we offer what we ourselves disapprove, how can we afterward defend our work? Let us raise a standard to which the wise and honest can repair. The event is in the hand of God."

— **George Washington**, at the Constitutional Convention, 1787

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