

## **Bob Jones: Past and Future Considerations**

If we do not learn from history, we shall be compelled to relive it. True. But if we do not change the future, we shall be compelled to endure it. And that could be worse.

-Alvin Toffler

This is an election year like no other. In fact, this is a year like no other.

Traditions are being discarded like newspapers and not just any old traditions either. Those that have been the mainstay of our Western Civilization such as respect for our elders, respect for one another, respect for our parents, and especially respect for ourselves. The tradition of hard work and personal responsibility for the decisions that we make especially the things we choose to do or not do, wear or not wear, believe or not believe, practice or not practice.

I'll not go on about love of God, Home, Family and Country, which are the things our military personnel fight and die for every single day somewhere in our behalf because the actual history of these heroic fellow citizens have been all but erased from our history books and replaced with images of the brutal imperialist conqueror's seeking, if not direct colonization then at the very least the equivalent called "economic spheres of influence." (So named by leftist as neo-colonialism or the new form of controlling a people and country.)

It seems that America can't win the war of competing accounts of its history which in fact dooms us to a disastrous future. One in which this, and the next generation, unwinds the many humanity benefitting gains that a free, God fearing, economically open culture has provided both as an example of, and a testimony to the privilege of living in a nation whose God is the Lord.

Refusing to learn from the recorded history of life under socialist totalitarian big government tyranny certainly appears to assure us of a future that will undoubtedly be one definitely very hard to endure. Check out Venezuela.

Hillary versus Trump. Not a choice of good versus bad but a real choice of bad versus worse. With the history of Hillary Clinton that we know, beware, for I believe that selecting her leads to that future we all may live to regret. And if you think it's difficult now in these uncertain times, I pray we will never have to endure what four or eight years of her rule would bring.

Just saying is all!

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