

The State Church, “*Public Education*”

Chapter Eleven – *America is Bankrupt!*

The problems and issues facing parents with school age children today would take several volumes to cover in detail. The most talked about problems are in regard to the cost of public education, the decline in academic achievement levels, social and cultural changes allowed in the classroom that go against parental authority and rights, and safety in the public school system. Each of these are important issues and areas of concern and should be for any parent today.

But there are much deeper problems and issues facing this country in regard to the government run education system in America. The public education system has played a major role in the development and success of this nation and that cannot be argued against. In the early beginnings of this nation any parent would have the desire for their children to have an education and this is a completely natural instinct. But much has changed in America over the past seventy years or so. America today does not resemble the country that I read and learned about in the 1960's and seventies. America has lost its ways and traditions in many ways. The country has been influenced by immigrants from foreign countries. These individuals have brought with them many cultural and social ideologies that are not desirable or wanted by a large portion of the population of this country. Different beliefs in religion and the roles of men and women by many people that have found home in this nation have diluted the once strong moral fabric that held this nation together for over two hundred years.

The public education system in America has welcomed cultural and societal ideologies into the classroom that have resulted in a watered-down weaker version of America that is fading quickly into oblivion. History is the great textbook that reveals what happens when strong nations and countries allow the wrong kinds of change to take place on their sovereign soil. It is one thing to learn about other countries, people groups and their ways but to allow them to influence or make changes that go in direct opposition to the core beliefs and ways of your own country is *the making of the beginning of the end!* The desire to be self-reliant and to make it on your own without the help of the government is now a view and position of a minority of the population in this country including both older and younger adults.

Another key influence that has led to the economic decline of this nation is the out-of-control cost of government including the government run public education system in America. Tens of thousands of both young and older adults have lost their homes due the skyrocketing increase in taxes at both the federal and local levels including the local school districts in many states. Everyday hardworking citizens are going financially bankrupt due the overreach of government into the pockets of taxpayers. The US government is bankrupt, and the debt can never be repaid at any cost. The local public-school systems have followed the

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lead of the federal government and have bankrupted tens of thousands of homeowners resulting in families having to move in with relatives or become homeless like many have become over the past decade. Seventy-five years ago, in this country no one could ever imagined that America would become both morally and financially bankrupt. What has transpired in America is due to the apathy of citizens, and those chasing the American Dream, irresponsible government leaders and the negative influences brought into this nation from the tens of thousands of immigrants that have come here to set up shop and create problems. Those individuals that have come here to make their lives better and to contribute to the success of this nation are welcomed with open arms when following the law and process of becoming a legal resident of this nation.

The changes needed in this nation to prevent a total collapse and bankruptcy will not come from the granite halls of large government buildings in state capital buildings or from political bureaucrats in Washington DC. The changes must and will come from and by the citizens who care about their future and the future of their children. It does not take much effort to see the parallel between what is going on today across the nation and what was happening in the original thirteen colonies where this country began. If the real and true history of this nation were taught and required in every school today America would not be facing extinction today.