

## INQUIRY #2 OF LOCAL AND STATE CIVIL OFFICIALS: BIBLICAL MORAL BASIS FOR RETURN TO THE ARTICLES OF CONFEDERATION

Dear Sirs:

I have some additional questions regarding our national constitution:

1. Can any government really be religiously neutral? For example, is the Federal government religiously neutral when it mandates so called "gay marriage" and the "LGBTQ" ideology?

2. The Bible says this: "I will declare the decree: the LORD hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee. Ask of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession...Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth. Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling. Kiss the Son..." The Federal Constitution says this: "… no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States…", and its Fourteenth Amendment incorporates this requirement down to the states and localities. Does the Federal Constitution thus contradict the Bible?

3. The Articles of Confederation says this: "...Whereas the Delegates of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, did, on the 15th day of November, in the Year of **Our Lord** One thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy seven...And Whereas it hath pleased **the Great Governor of the World to incline the hearts of the legislatures we respectively represent in congress, to approve of, and to authorize us to ratify the said articles of confederation and perpetual union..." It thus acknowledges that the Lord who became incarnate around 0 AD is Lord of the USA and the sovereign Great Governor of the World, and the Articles of Confederation is hence a Christian constitution. In contrast, the Federal Constitution is a secular humanist constitution. Do you think it is right that the USA illegally substituted a Christian constitution and covenant for a secular humanist constitution?** 

4. Polls show Americans are growing pessimistic of the country current path on its (e.g., see https://www.businessinsider.com/americans-think-children-end-up-worse-lives-2023-3?op=1 ). There are various possible paths to return the state and country to a right path, but is there really but one that is consistent with the Biblical principle stated in Galatians 3:15: "Though it be but a man's covenant, yet if it be confirmed, no man disannulleth, or addeth thereto"? In other words, do not states and localities have a moral duty to seek to return to the original national covenant and comply with it? Is it not a sin that we have broken our original Christian national covenant and substituted it with an illegally adopted secular humanist one?

Sincerely,

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