



THE ERSATZ CONSTITUTION

The whole point of a nation or state having a constitution is so that government operates according to law and justice rather than arbitrary human fiat. So it is no small matter whether states and localities recognize a national constitution which was legally adopted or one that was illegally adopted. Sadly, the national constitution recognized by every state and locality in the current USA (historical note: this has not always been the case) is a constitution which was *illegally* adopted, as succinctly described in the article at https://www.minnpost.com/eric-black-ink/2012/10/do-you-know-constitution-unconstitutional/?fbclid=IwAR09G23izXAAtl_PMNJ4eBZNgobcFVbIUCDUfvMPxiv2b17pNKShTjEllftQ. Indeed, this illegal adoption was not simply a case of failing to dot some i's and cross some t's. No, this usurpation of constitutional authority was illegally and deceptively orchestrated by a band of men intent upon doing it that way because they realized they could not legally obtain their objective otherwise. The ugly details of this illegal usurpation are fully documented in Dr. Murray Rothbard's book at <https://mises.org/library/conceived-liberty-volume-5-new-republic-1784-1791/html?fbclid=IwAR010eGn3o2dLCBGFUCj5iqbxuD0J2vv--9-yJLIzndIGzHXPOcKdH06z58>. The Federal Constitution of the USA is an ersatz constitution: it breaks national covenant and undermines law and justice, even while it also erodes liberty.

We should really not be so surprised that the Federal Government created by this ersatz constitution does things like mandates "gay marriage", which is really not marriage (God in His word defines 'marriage', and it is between male and female); mandates the "LGBTQ" ideology that a man is a woman by choice, when a man is really not a woman; mandates that paper and its electronic equivalent it issues out of thin air is money, which is really not money; mandates Darwinian evolution be taught as true science, when it is really not true science; and many other lies. When the national constitution recognized by the states and localities is an ersatz constitution, then unsurprisingly law, justice, truth, and liberty break down.

The deeper sin yet in this is that the original constitution of the USA, and the one that rightfully is the legal constitution, is also a Christian constitution. The Articles of Confederation is explicitly Christian, whereas the Federal Constitution is secular humanist. The Articles of Confederation recognizes Jesus Christ as Lord, as well it should. As we read in Psalm 2: "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..." To rob Jesus Christ of His recognition as Lord is the most profound form of deception and immorality. We should not be surprised that those willing to rob Him of His Lordship would be willing to adopt and recognize an ersatz constitution. From the religious lie flows all sorts of other lies and immoralities, even as we read in Romans 1. And what is the fruit of this national covenant-breaking rebellion against Jesus Christ? A modern day Babel.

If American Christians do not care about any of this (indeed, even condone and support it), then what in the world should we care about (and how low will our morality descend)? If Christ's church does not call this sin and call for national repentance from this sin, then has not the salt lost his savor? And then what is it good for? If those of us who call ourselves Christian do not stand up by God's grace for the Crown rights of Jesus Christ now, should we imagine that He will stand up and say up and say of us on the Great Day of Judgment: "well done, thou good and faithful servant"?

A Michigan organization is being formed to seek a Christian amendment to the Michigan constitution and recognition of the Articles of Confederation as the USA's national constitution, according to the legal procedures for amending the Michigan constitution. The secular humanist Federal Constitution prohibits such an amendment, but the Christian Articles of Confederation encourages it. The rules of this organization stipulate only legal, peaceful measures will be employed in this Biblical reformation, and no member will engage in any armed violence in pursuit of such reformation. Contact J. Parnell McCarter at puritansinfo@gmail.com or visit the website <http://www.puritans.net/christian-amendment-to-the-state-constitution/>. We hope citizens in other US states will similarly seek to amend their states' constitutions.