

What the “Experts” are Missing

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Conservative writers commonly identify what our government should be doing and then offer opinions on how to change its course for the better. But they offer invalid remedies because they do not identify how the masters of political change continue to move government away from its original design, so the writers do not deal with the actual problem.

There are two essential elements to the Democrat Party’s tactics of anti-constitutionalism:

1. The framing of our political discourse that puts the Constitution on the right wing
2. The Democrat party’s ongoing war on morality

We will not stop the decay of our constitutional republic unless we stop and correct both processes. The sooner the better, because they are active in some very important areas, especially where they continue seducing the young minds in schools at all levels.

In this article I will address the first element, their tactical framing of political discourse. I will cover the war on morality in the next article.

We start with a question: How did the Constitution end up on the right wing of the political spectrum? The Constitution is the foundation of all law in the United States; therefore, it should properly be the foundation of all political measurements.

But the Democrats do not want the Constitution honored as such, because they oppose its design; all their politics reveal this. So, their dialogue purposefully exiles it to the right wing, where the placement alone dishonors our foundation of government. It’s like a founding stepfather, put in a position where it is easy to ignore, criticize or malign.

In my book, “The Real Constitution and its Real Enemies,” (available on Amazon) I have this section about their right wing – left wing dialogue:

- Their system ends up placing the Democrat party at the center of politics, not the Constitution. Their party is the foundation of all political measurements and debate, not the Constitution. This has been a powerful change.

- By taking our Constitution away from the center and moving it to the right wing, our nation's foundation of law becomes a fringe document, extreme, out of the mainstream, disrespected and easily attacked.
- By resetting the center, the Democrats have enabled vindictive portrayals of Constitutionists, calling them extremists and making up weird names, such as alt-right wingers, neo-cons, etc., and it enables them to freely associate any political movement they want, even fascism (which the democrats are working into our system) with conservative thought. Consider the fact that they now portray those who believe in the proper exercise of law as "extreme right-wingers" instead of law-abiding citizens—and you will understand the importance of returning our national dialogue to a constitutional center.
- Their process has involved disrespect not only for the Constitution and its supporters, but also for the rule of law and its enforcement officers at every level in the United States. Their reversal of ethics has turned criminals into heroes and turned law enforcement officers into villains as the Democrats tolerate (possibly promote) riots, looting, bedlam and other law breaking by their so-called victims.
- Their reset opened the oasis in the political center to the Democrats to claim as their own, as squatters would. They claimed the center and used that central positioning to their advantage by proclaiming their party to be fair, bipartisan, intelligent and open-minded when they clearly have none of those qualities. They claim to be mainstream despite being far left wing.
- Even worse, their center is not a static placement. As their politics continually move away from the Constitution's design, their center moves with it. This constant mutation is part of their political design. As their leftward drift continues, it rebrands the conservatives, the Constitution, and any attempt at prudent government, as further and further right-wing.
- In other words, their system is designed to continually erode our nation's foundation of government; our Constitution grows less relevant every year. Once you have accepted the premise that the Constitution is on the right wing you have conceded the argument.

So, by using their new left/right debate system, they have undermined every element of our Constitutional form of government.

To properly address this problem, we must start using a new system of measuring political actions, one that is based on our Constitution, not the whims of a rebel party.

Years ago, I started such a system, calling it the “Constitutional Initial Point.” Its design has the Constitution as the foundation, the initial point for all political measurements. It uses Plato’s law of non-contradiction: either you are a constitutionist, or you are not. So, any political act outside of our constitutional design is plotted to the left of the Initial Point. There is only constitutional politics or deviations from that point. There is no right or left wing. This way, the entire system of political measurements is simplified; it eliminates the finesse work used by the anti-constitutionist democrats.

We need this defined process. If you observe today’s society, with the cars, aircraft, computers, machinery and modern conveniences, all are the product of a defined, logical process of measurement. Yet, our politics is sloppy and without a defined system of measurement: the results of this sloppiness show in our arguments, differences, disrespect for law and our national debt.

The first step to genuine progress in our nation is to start using the Constitutional Initial Point. I pray this happens before it is too late.

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