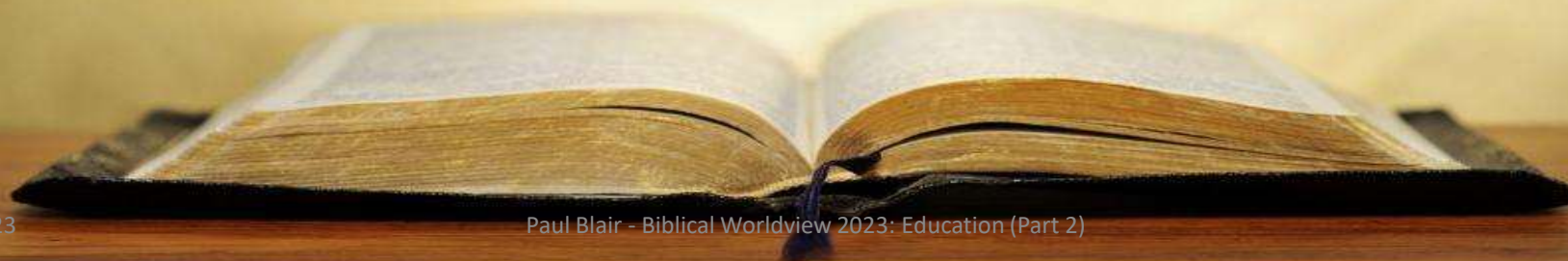


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**NOTHING!**

Let the *wicked* forsake **his way**, and the *unrighteous* man **his thoughts**: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. **For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.**





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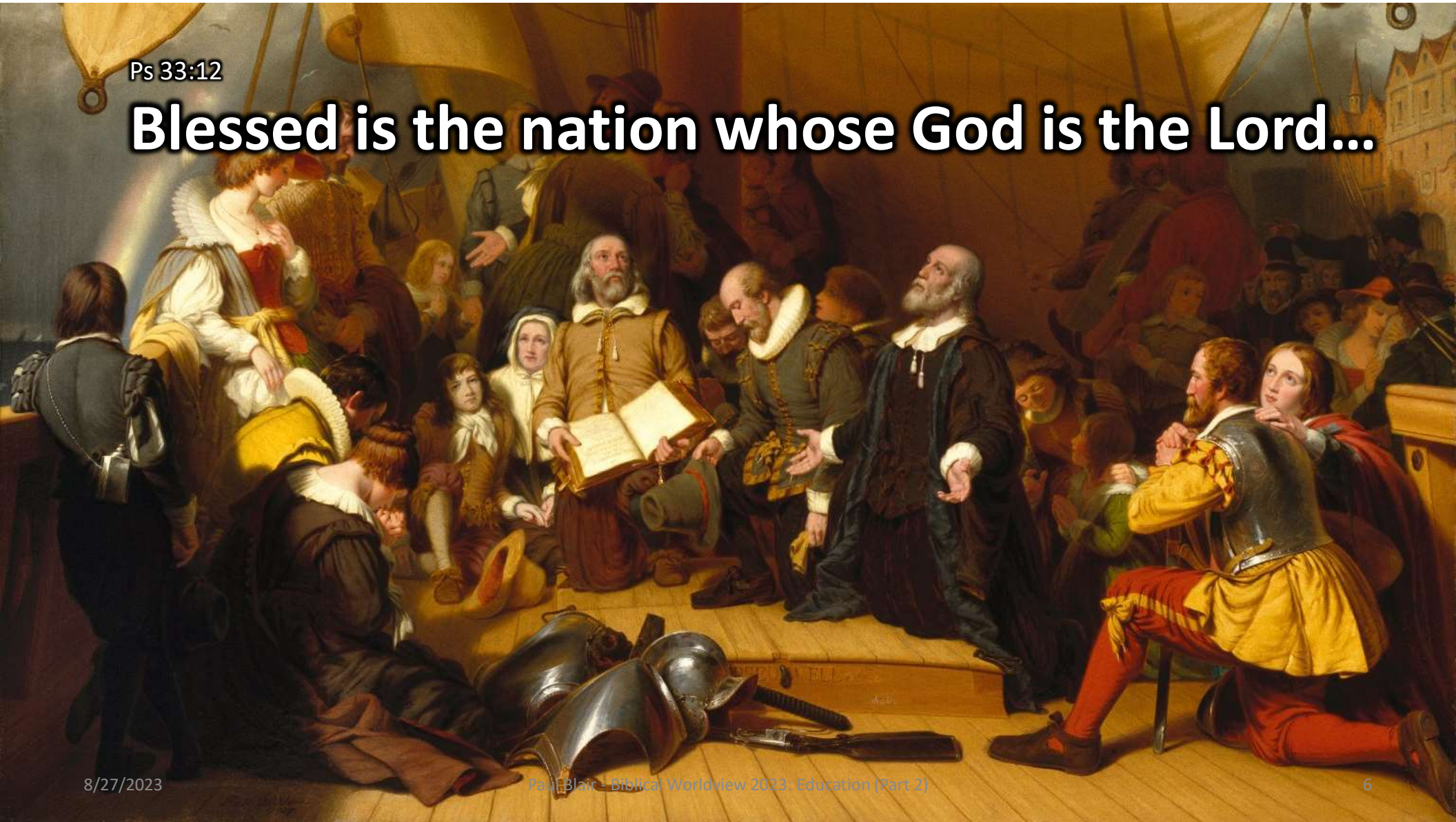


Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord: And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: **And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up. And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thine hand, and they shall be as frontlets between thine eyes. And thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates.** (18) And thou shalt do that which is right and good in the sight of the LORD: that it may be well with thee, and that thou mayest go in and possess the good land...

Deuteronomy 6:4-9, 18

Ps 33:12

**Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord...**









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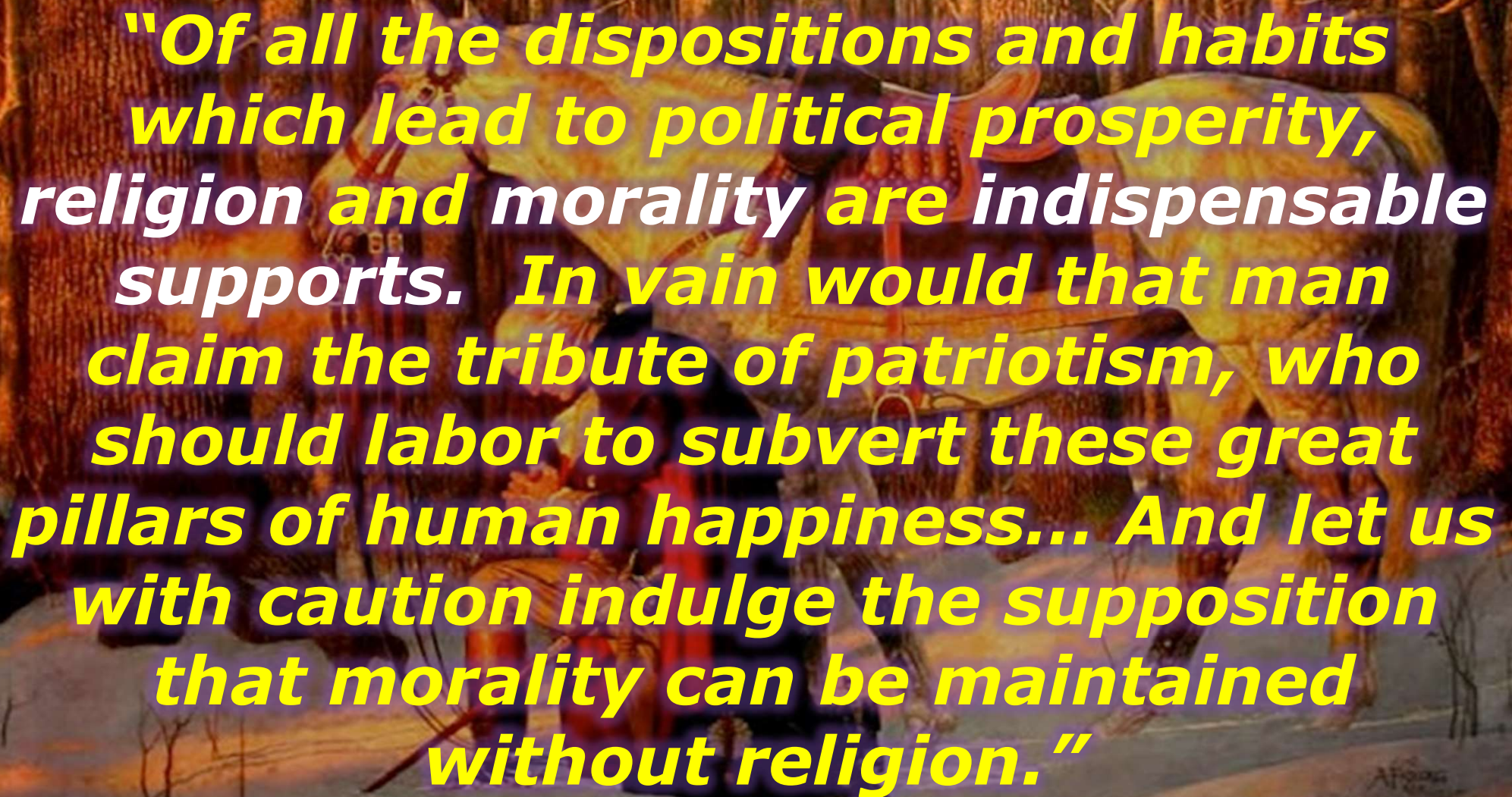
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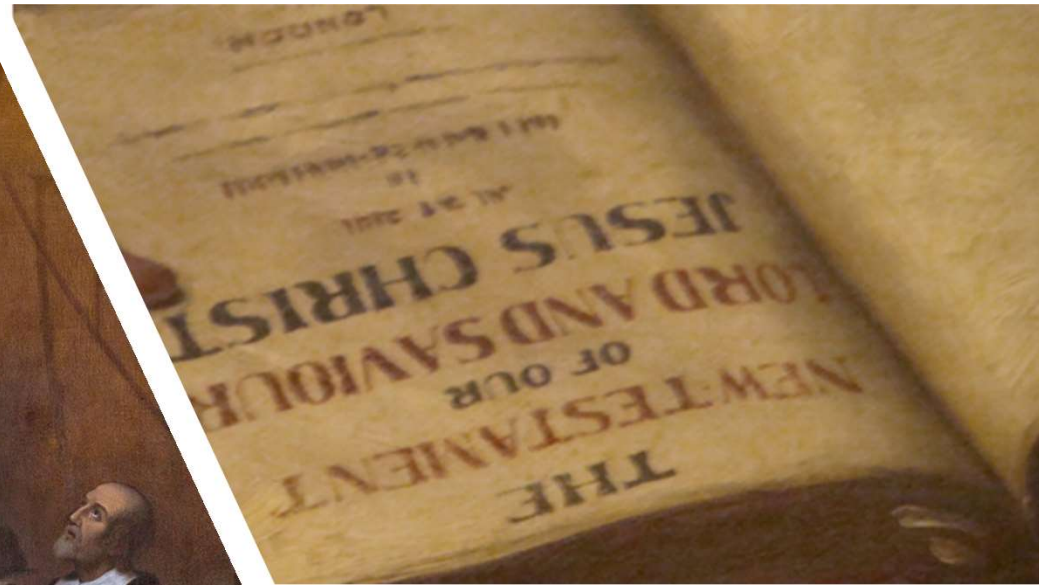


# Education \*\*\* RELIGION

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Patricia Banomi, Professor Emeritus of New York University, in an article entitled *The Middle Colonies as the Birthplace of American Religious Pluralism* stated that:

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### **Delaware Constitution, 1776**

**ART. 22.** Every person who shall be chosen a member of either house, or appointed to any office or place of trust, before taking his seat, or entering upon the execution of his office, shall take the following oath, or affirmation, if conscientiously scrupulous of taking an oath, to wit:

***" I, A B. do profess faith in God the Father, and in Jesus Christ His only Son, and in the Holy Ghost, one God, blessed for evermore; and I do acknowledge the holy scriptures of the Old and New Testament to be given by divine inspiration."***

And all officers shall also take an oath of office.





### Georgia Constitution, 1777

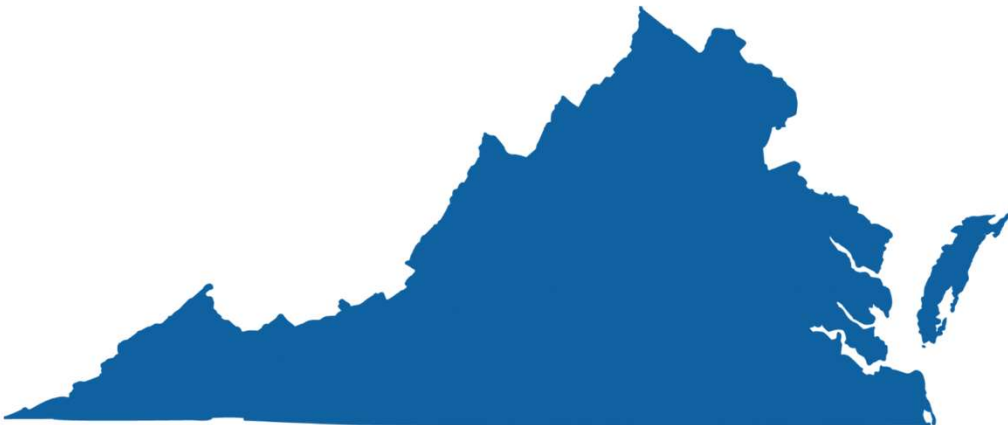
ART. VI. The representatives shall be chosen ...and *they shall be of the Protestant religion*, and of the age of twenty-one years, and shall be possessed in their own right of two hundred and fifty acres of land, or some property to the amount of two hundred and fifty pounds.



### **Massachusetts Constitution, 1780, Article III**

**Any every denomination of Christians, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good subjects of the commonwealth, shall be equally under the protection of the law: and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law.**





## Virginia

That religion, or the duty which we owe to our Creator, and the manner of discharging it, can be directed only by reason and conviction, not by force or violence; and therefore all men are equally entitled to the free exercise of religion, according to the dictates of conscience; and that **it is the mutual duty of all to practise Christian forbearance, love, and charity toward each other.**



## Rhode Island

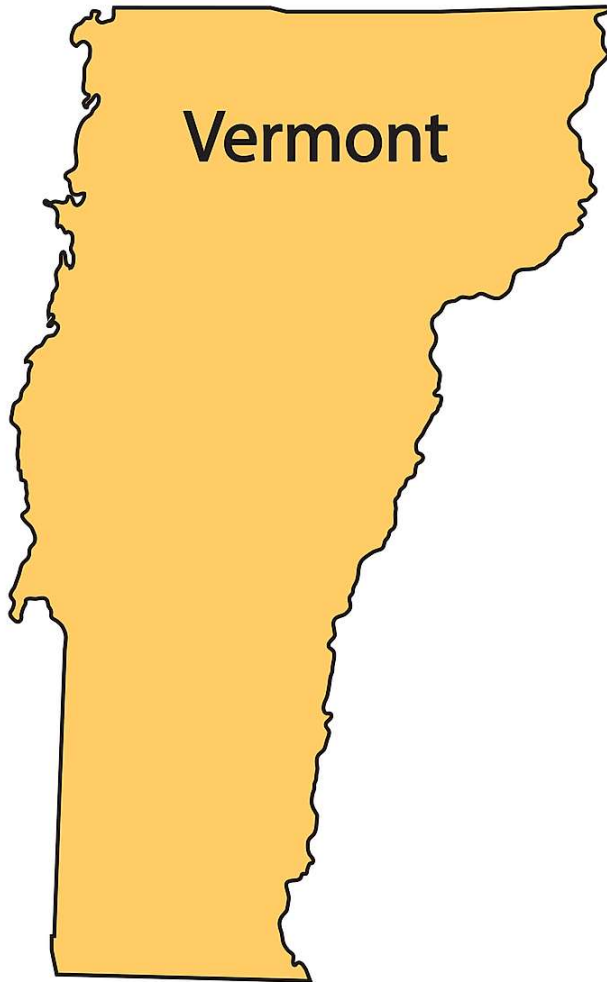
...every person shall be free to worship God according to the dictates of such person's conscience, and to profess and by argument to maintain such person's opinion in matters of religion; and that the same shall in no wise diminish, enlarge, or affect the civil capacity of any person.





## New Hampshire

THE PRESIDENT shall be chosen annually; and no person shall be eligible to this office, unless at the time of his election, he shall have been an inhabitant of this state for seven years next preceding, and unless he shall be of the age of thirty years; and unless he shall, at the same time, have an estate of the value of *five hundred pounds*, one half of which shall consist of a freehold, in his own right, within the state; and **unless he shall be of the Protestant religion.**



## Vermont

And each member, before he takes his seat, shall make and subscribe the following declaration, viz.

*" I \_\_\_\_ do believe in one God, the Creator and Governor of the Diverse, the rewarder of the good and punisher of the wicked. And I do acknowledge the scriptures of the old and new testament to be given by divine inspiration, and own and profess the protestant religion."*

And no further or other religious test shall ever, hereafter, be required of any civil officer or magistrate in this State.

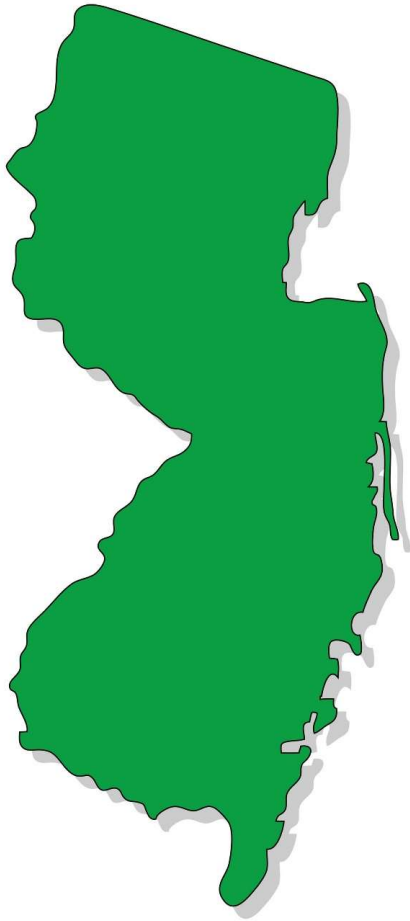




## Maryland Constitution, 1776

Article LV. That every person, appointed to any office of profit or trust, shall, before he enters on the execution thereof, take the following oath; to wit :

*" I, A. B., do swear, that I do not hold myself bound in allegiance to the King of Great Britain, and that I will be faithful, and bear true allegiance to the State of Maryland; "* and **shall also subscribe a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion.**



## New Jersey Constitution, 1776

**Article 19.** That there shall be no Establishment of any one religious Sect in this Province in Preference to another; and that no Protestant Inhabitant of this Colony shall be denied the Enjoyment of any civil Right merely on Account of his religious Principles; but that **all Persons, professing a Belief in the Faith of any Protestant Sect**, who shall demean themselves peaceably under the Government as hereby established, shall be capable of being elected into any office of Profit or Trust, or being a Member of either Branch of the Legislature, & shall fully & freely enjoy every Privilege & Immunity enjoyed by others their Fellow-Subjects.

## Pennsylvania

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## North Carolina Constitution, 1776

### Article XXXII.

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North  
Carolina

*That no person, who shall deny the being of God or the truth of the Protestant religion, or the divine authority either of the Old or New Testaments, or who shall hold religious principles incompatible with the freedom and safety of the State, shall be capable of holding any office or place of trust or profit in the civil department within this State.*



### South Carolina Constitution, 1776

*...and that no person shall be eligible to a seat in the said senate **unless he be of the Protestant religion**, and hath attained the age of thirty years, and hath been a resident in this State at least five years.*





# Education \*\*\* MORALITY

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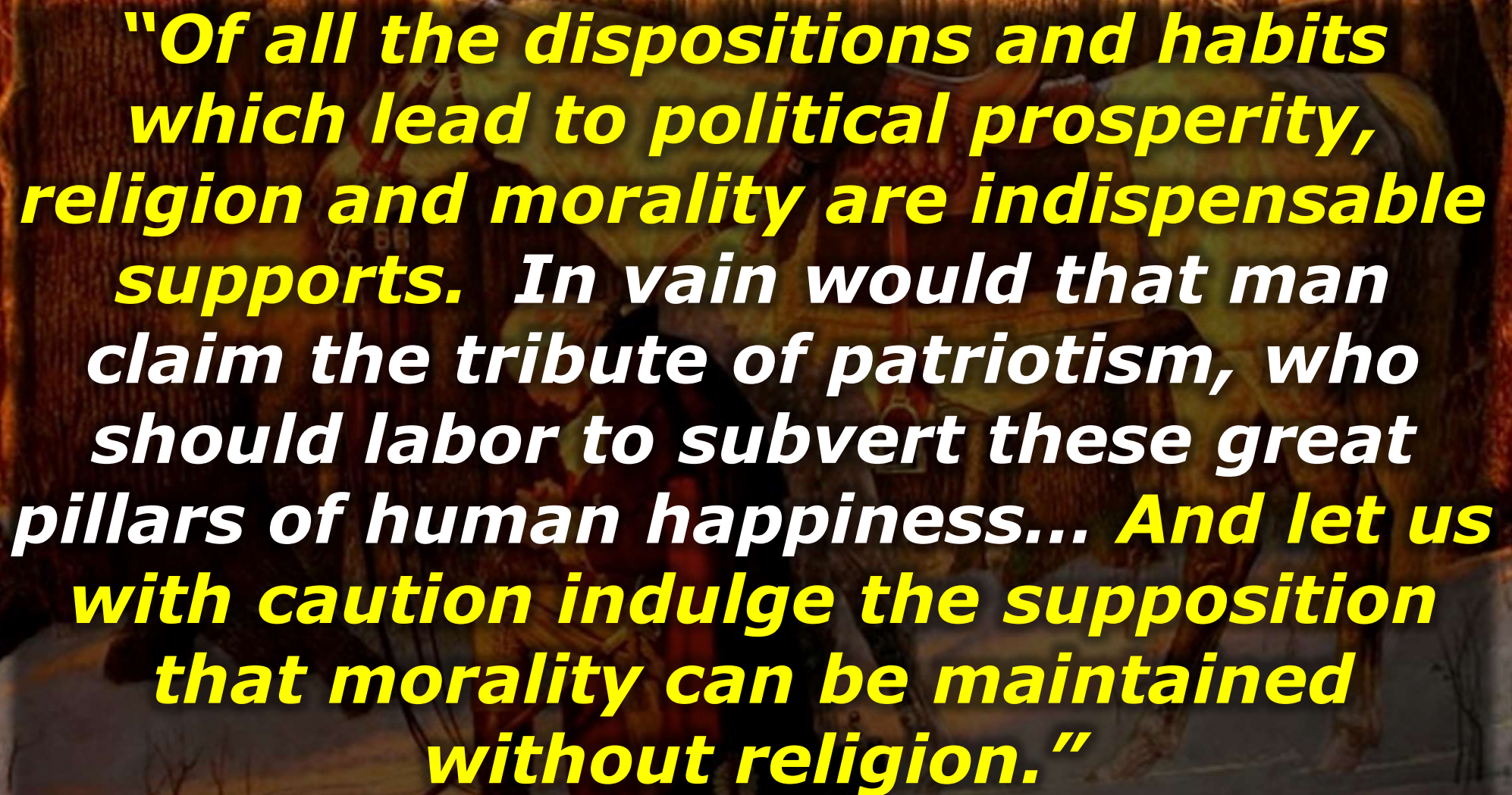
Deuteronomy 6:18

And thou shalt do that  
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Noah Webster

“In my view, the Christian religion is the most important and one of the first things in which all children, under a free government ought to be instructed...No truth is more evident to my mind than that the Christian religion must be the basis of any government intended to secure the rights and privileges of a free people.”



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Robert Winthrop (MA), US  
Speaker of the House

Speech to the Massachusetts Bible Society  
(May 28, 1849), quoted in *Robert  
Winthrop, Addresses and Speeches on  
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All societies of men must be governed in some way or other. The less they may have of stringent State Government, the more they must have of individual self-government. The less they rely on public law or physical force, the more they must rely on private moral restraint. **Men, in a word, must necessarily be controlled, either by a power within them, or by a power without them; either by the Word of God, or by the strong arm of man; either by the Bible, or by the bayonet.** It may do for other countries and other governments to talk about the State supporting religion. Here, under our own free institutions, it is Religion which must support the State.

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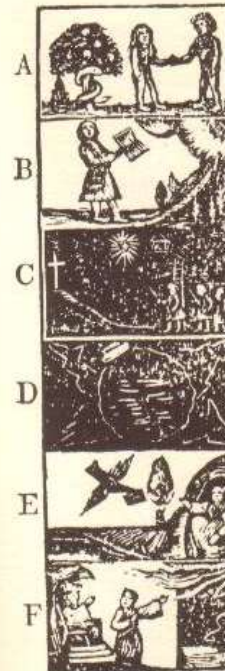
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Fa-mi-li-a-ri-ty	Qua-li-fi-ca-ti-on

*A Lesson for Children.*

Pray to God.	Call no ill names.
Love God.	Use no ill words.
Fear God.	Tell no lies.
Serve God.	Hate Lies.
Take not God's	Speak the Truth.
Name in vain.	Spend your Time well.
Do not Swear.	Love your School.
Do not Steal.	Mind your Book.
Cheat not in your play.	Strive to learn.
Play not with bad boys.	Be not a Dunce.



In A D A M ' s Fall  
We finned all.

Heaven to find;  
The Bible Mind.

Chrift crucify'd  
For finners dy'd.

The Deluge drown'd  
The Earth around.

E L I J A H hid  
By Ravens fed.

The judgment made  
F E L I X afraid.



**W**HAT's right and good now shew me  
Lord, and lead me by thy grace and  
word. Thus shall I be a child of God, and  
love and fear thy hand and rod.

*An Alphabet of Lessons for Youth.*

**A** Wise son maketh a glad father, but a  
foolish son is the heaviness of his mother.  
**B**etter is a little with the fear of the Lord,  
than great treasure & trouble therewith.  
**C**ome unto Christ all ye that labor and are  
heavy laden and he will give you rest.  
**D**o not the abominable thing which I hate  
saith the Lord.  
**E**Xcept a man be born again, he cannot  
see the kingdom of God.  
**F**oolishness is bound up in the heart of a  
child, but the rod of correction shall  
drive it far from him.  
**G**ODLINESS is profitable unto all things,  
having the promise of the life that now  
is, and that which is to come.  
**H**OLINESS becomes G O D ' s house  
for ever.  
**I**T is good for me to draw near unto  
G O D .

**K**EEP thy heart with all diligence, for  
out of it are the issues of life.  
**L**IARS shall have their part in the lake  
which burns with fire and brimstone.  
**M**ANY are the afflictions of the right-  
eous, but the L O R D delivereth them  
out of them all.  
**N**OW is the accepted time, now is the  
day of salvation.  
**O**UT of the abundance of the heart the  
mouth speaketh.  
**P**RAY to thy Father which is in secret ;  
and thy Father which sees in secret  
shall reward thee openly.  
**Q**UIT you like men, be strong, stand fast  
in the faith.  
**R**EMEMBER thy Creator in the days  
of thy youth.  
**S**eekest thou a man wise in his own conceit,  
there is more hope of a fool than of him.  
**T**RUST in God at all times, ye people,  
pour out your hearts before him.  
**U**PON the wicked, God shall rain an  
horrible tempest.  
**W**O to the wicked, it shall be ill with  
him, for the reward of his hands  
shall be given him.

of sin and misery, and to bring them into a state of salvation by a Redeemer.

Q. 21. *Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?*

A. The only Redeemer of God's elect, is the Lord Jesus Christ, who being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be God and man, in two distinct natures, and one person forever.

Q. 22. *How did Christ being the Son of God become man?*

A. Christ the Son of God became man by taking to himself a true body and a reasonable soul, being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost, in the womb of the virgin Mary, and born of her, and yet without sin.

Q. 23. *What offices doth Christ execute as our Redeemer?*

A. Christ as our Redeemer executes the office of a prophet, of a priest, & of a king, both in his estate of humiliation and exaltation.

Q. 24. *How doth Christ execute the office of a prophet?*

A. Christ executeth the office of a prophet in revealing to us by his word and spirit, the will of God for our salvation.

Q. 25. *How doth Christ execute the office of a priest?*

A. Christ executeth the office of a priest in his once offering up himself a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God, and in making continual intercession for us.

Q. 26. *How doth Christ execute the office of a king?*

A. Christ executeth the office of a king in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.

Q. 27. *Wherein did Christ's humiliation consist?*

A. Christ's humiliation consisted in his being born and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross, in being buried and continuing under the power of death for a time.

Q. 28. *Wherein consists Christ's exaltation?*

A. Christ's exaltation consisteth in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, and sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day.

Q. 29. *How are we made partakers of the redemption purchased by Christ?*

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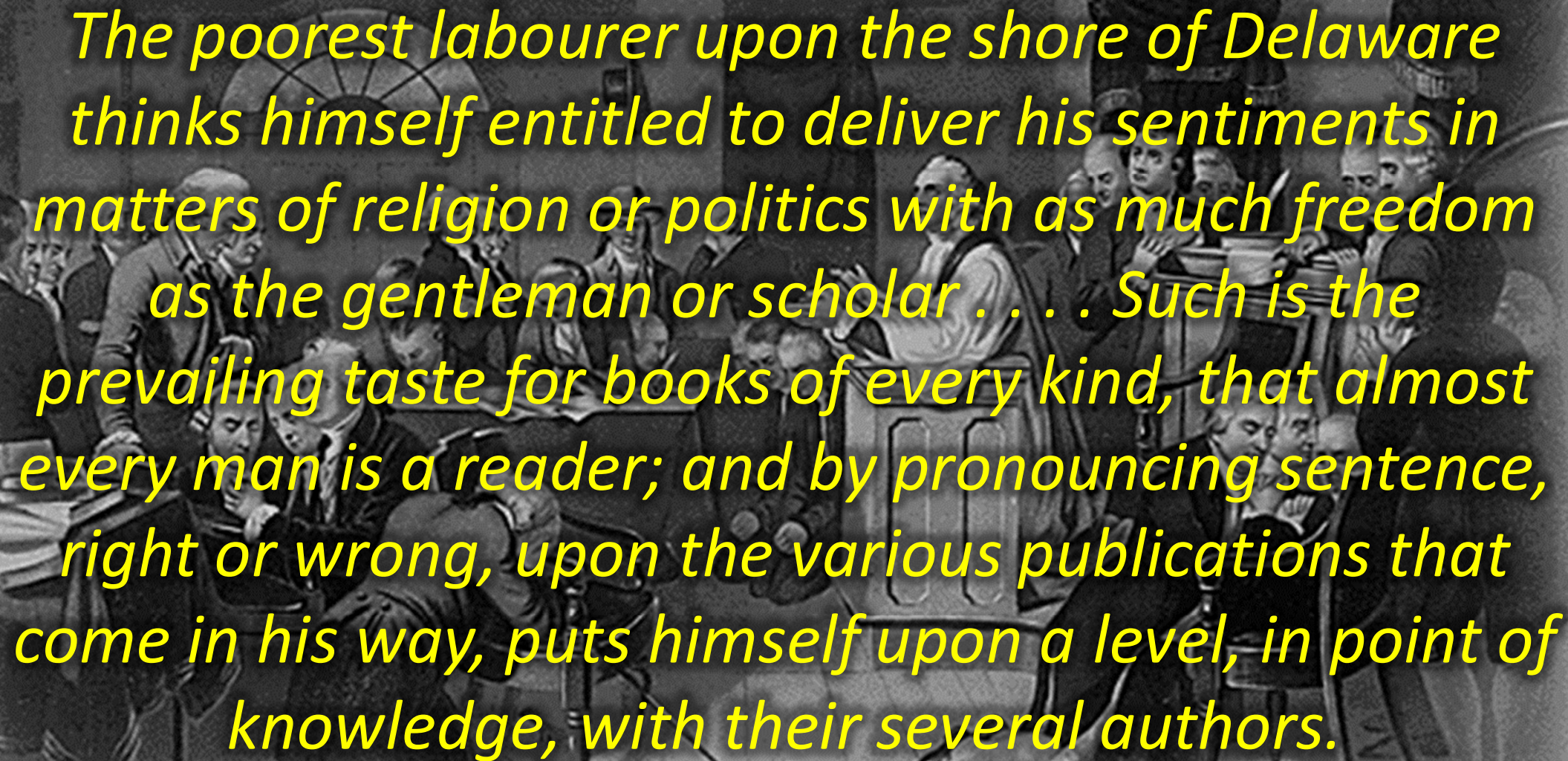
# KNOWLEDGE

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Luke 2:51-52

51 And he went down with them, and came to Nazareth, and was subject unto them...  
52 And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man.





*The poorest labourer upon the shore of Delaware thinks himself entitled to deliver his sentiments in matters of religion or politics with as much freedom as the gentleman or scholar . . . . Such is the prevailing taste for books of every kind, that almost every man is a reader; and by pronouncing sentence, right or wrong, upon the various publications that come in his way, puts himself upon a level, in point of knowledge, with their several authors.*



*“In New England every citizen receives the elementary notions of human knowledge; he is taught, moreover, the doctrines and the evidences of his religion, the history of his country and the leading features of the Constitution. In the states of Connecticut and Massachusetts, it is extremely rare to find a man imperfectly acquainted with all these things and a person wholly ignorant of them is a sort of phenomenon.”*

*Alexis de Tocqueville*



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The private system of education in which our forefathers were educated included home, school, church, voluntary associations such as library companies and philosophical societies, circulating libraries, apprenticeships, and private study. It was a system supported primarily by those who bought the services of education, and by private benefactors. All was done without compulsion. Although there was a veneer of government involvement in some colonies, such as in Puritan Massachusetts, early American education was essentially based on the principle of voluntarism.












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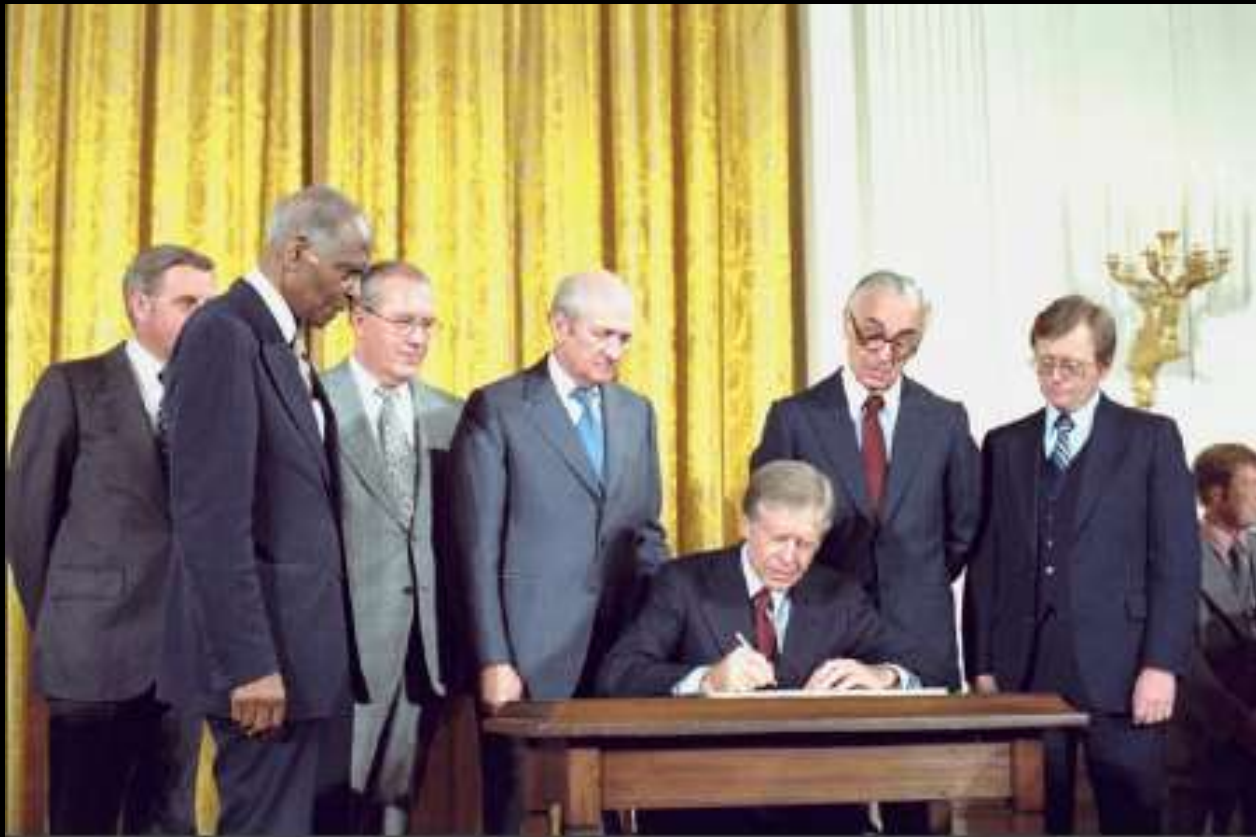




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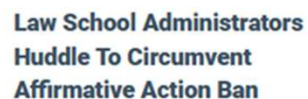
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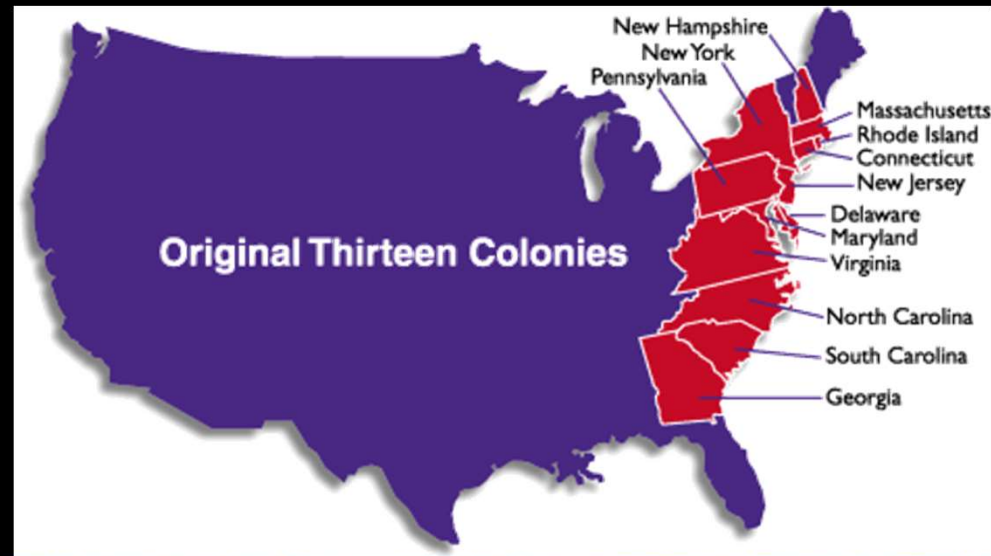
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1. Rights come from God, not government.
2. Truth is not arbitrary. Truth is established by our Creator. (Laws of Nature and Nature's God).



# What is truth?

## God IS

- God Grants Rights
- God establishes truth. The Laws of Nature and Nature's God.

## There is NO God

- Government Grants Rights  
— (Welcome Karl Marx)
- There is no truth. Truth evolves over time.  
— (Welcome Charles Darwin)





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# Fewer in U.S. Now See Bible as Literal Word of God

BY FRANK NEWPORT



WASHINGTON, D.C. -- A record-low 20% of Americans now say the Bible is the literal word of God, down from 24% the last time the question was asked in 2017, and half of what it was at its high points in 1980 and 1984. Meanwhile, a new high of 29% say the Bible is a collection of "fables, legends, history and moral precepts recorded by man." This marks the first time significantly more Americans have viewed the Bible as not divinely inspired than as the literal word of God. The largest percentage, 49%, choose the middle alternative, roughly in line with where it has been in previous years.

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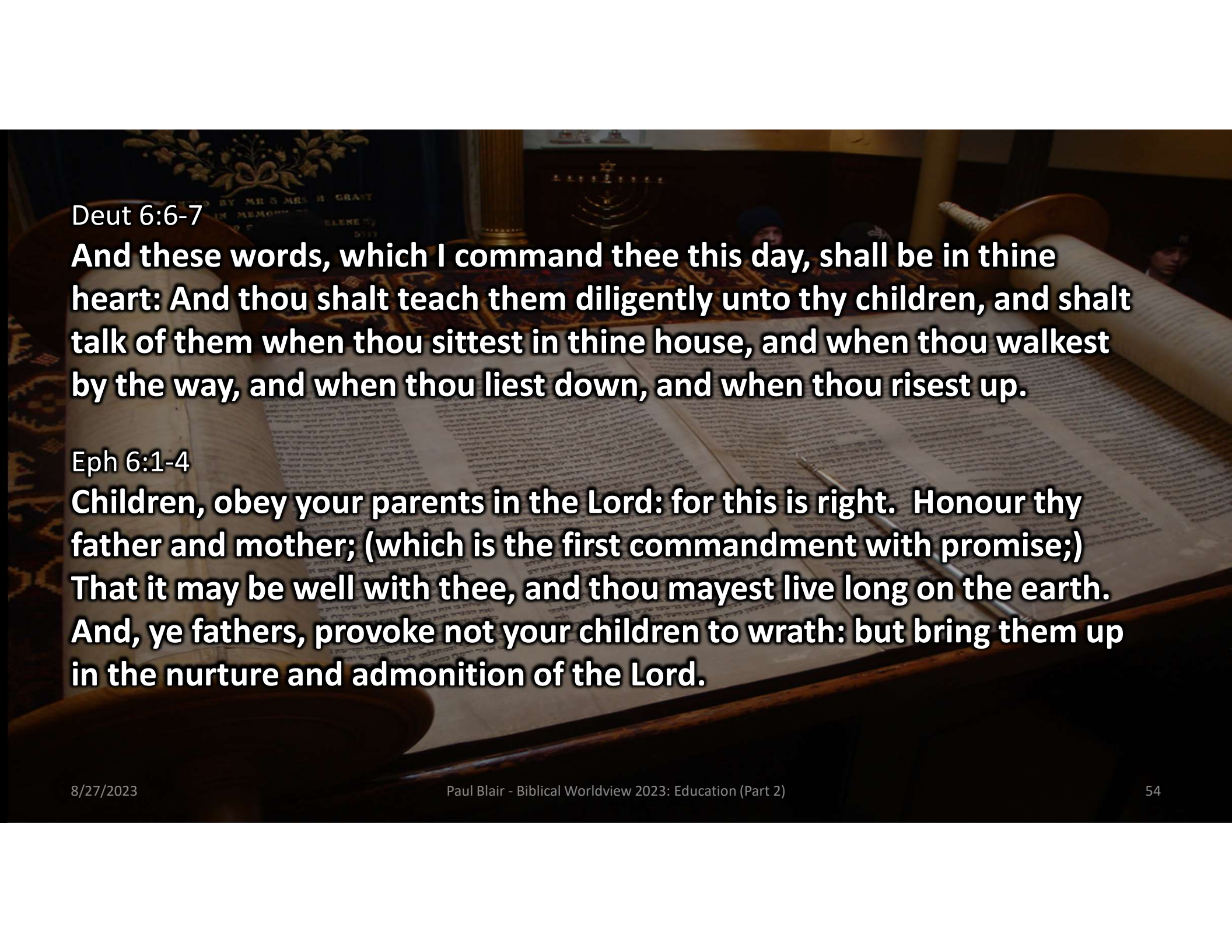
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God is God and  
God blesses a  
faithful nation.

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Government is  
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Deut 6:6-7

**And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.**

Eph 6:1-4

**Children, obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right. Honour thy father and mother; (which is the first commandment with promise;) That it may be well with thee, and thou mayest live long on the earth. And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.**