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The Impenetrable shield: How the Miss...

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The Impenetrable shield: How the Missouri Justice System protects itself while failing its citizens. Missouri has constructed a judicial system designed to protect its own while systematically denying justice to those seeking relief. The numbers tell a stark story of institutional failure masquerading as law and order. The numbers don't lie since 1970, Missouri has not impeached one judge. Before the Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline of Judges was created in 1972. An impeachment trial was the only means by which a judge could be removed from the bench. The House has impeached only two judges since the civil war both in the 1960's. Between 2001 to 2011, 72 discipline actions were taken all but one were informal reprimands and those are not public. In the history of the Commission not a single judge has been suspended! There are over 400 State Judges and not a one of them are bad? He that justify the wicked and condemn the just both are an abomination to the Lord Proverbs 17:5. Appeals a Rigged Game! Missouri reversal rates on appeals are among the lowest in the country. Less than 5%, one in twenty, are overturned that is half the national average. Habeas cases fair no better, there have only been 55 Missouri inmates exonerated since 1991. When the system investigates itself it finds no problems. When citizens seek relief they are stonewalled at every level! Nearly 50% of Missouri prison population are non violent so called offenders whose only victim is themselves and their families. Who benefits from this injustice? Lawyers and law enforcement officers and their partners in crime, the prison industry complex (just-us) are making a good living at the expense of the taxpayer's and the victims of the war on drugs. Your families and neighbours are filling cells across the State, while the real criminals, those causing injury and loss are living it up, fat and sassy! With Liberty and Justice for All or Just-Us? You be the JUDGE! The Big Picture: Missouri has built a system where judges, cops and their cronies face no accountability for misconduct and outright criminal conduct. Appeals Courts rubber stamp convictions. Exonerations only happen after decades of imprisonment. The system is not broken it is working as intended, protecting those in power while grinding up the rest of us! The whole purpose of the government is to protect our God given rights of life, liberty and happiness. When it fails to afford these rights it fails its chief design. Article 1

Section 2 Missouri Constitution. " If you make peaceful revolution impossible, you make violent revolution inevitable " JFK.