

OPEN LETTER TO MY CRITICS AND SUPPORTERS

By Arthur J. Jones

Over and over again, I am constantly attacked in the newspapers, on TV, on the radio, and now on the internet, as some sort of criminal, unfit for public office. And what is my crime? Do I molest children as a high-ranking employee of the **Chairman of the Cook County Republican Party** was arrested for? No, I'm not a pedophile Republican.

Do I have a record of drunk driving, as one **Republican mayor** of a south suburb has been charged with numerous times? No, because I do not drink any alcoholic beverages. Do I have an owner/interest in so-called **"Gentlemen's Clubs"** as another **mayor of a south suburb** has, this time a Democrat? No, because I do not attend bars or strip clubs.

Have I ever been raided by the FBI for **"pay to play" bribery schemes**, as several **Democratic politicians** have. No, I sell Health Insurance for some of America's most well-known and respected insurance companies and have done so for **36 years without a single complaint, suspension or fine leveled against me by either my clients or the Illinois State Department of Insurance**. So, I can't be accused of any act of dishonesty in my entire professional career.

Was I ever arrested for possession or distribution of illegal drugs, as a **top precinct captain of a Democratic mayor was arrested for, no, not marijuana, but heroin!** No, I do not use or distribute illegal drugs. Did I ever in any of my campaigns write a check to a professional printer of my literature that bounced? No, that was done by a **Republican candidate for Cook County Treasurer**.

Did I ever have a hand in destroying a **Nativity Scene worth thousands of dollars, paid for by the donation of a now deceased local Christian businessman**. That Nativity Scene ended up in a dumpster because the City of Chicago's Democratic leaders, insisted on a **\$1 million dollar liability insurance policy after the Nativity Scene was erected, not before it was set up**. Before the money could be raised, the Democrats sent in their goon squad of thugs and they hurriedly destroyed all of it. Those life-size statues of that scene were the private property of a local Republican businessman and Christian.

Was I ever charged with or associating with providing confidential information to members of **Chicago's Organized Crime members?** No, that was done by a **high-ranking Republican in the Cook County Sheriff's Department**.

Have I ever been charged with or convicted of committing a **"Hate crime" against anyone?** No, I never have and never will engage in such foolishness.

Have I ever been an advocate of partial birth abortion; legalization of marijuana; or requiring all Illinois public school students be taught the glories of the **LGBTQ life-style and its history, starting in the 3rd grade?** No, I have spoken out repeatedly against such debauchery. Those new laws were passed by the Democratic Party, assisted by the cowardly leaders of the Republican Party in Illinois.