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HELLO ALL:

FROM A WESTERN CANADIAN PERSPECTIVE!

It seems **Trudeau** has his hand on the **tiller of a tippy canoe called “Canada”**, which has always been a balancing act, but Trudeau has **kicked a hole in the hull**. I wonder if he is reconsidering his smiling photo ops with **zealous eco groups**, or regrets the **SNC-Lavalin** affair, the **Mark Norman** tragedy, and spouting identity politics while he **pandered** for votes. Perhaps even **Elizabeth May** regrets her blatant disregard of a court order.

The nation is falling apart. I asked repeatedly during the last federal election what the candidates planned to do about the **national unity crisis** and **told rather rudely that there wasn't one**. I wonder what those naysayers think now.

We can probably thank **media outlets** for their part in this mess, pushing **progressive, politically correct, post-nation agendas** which undermine the rule of law, while **ignoring the majority of Canadians**, the economy, and all that is right and good within the country.

The nation's movement of goods and the economy have been **stalled by protests**. I will bet that not one group **trespassing** on private property or barricading roads, ports and railroads that are squarely **within federal jurisdiction** has a permit. They say they have a right to be there. It **took Trudeau twelve days to come home from his self-aggrandizement tour across Africa**, and when he did, **nothing was done**, except for his announcement that the country abides by the rule of law. Yeah, well, not so much.

And here we are in the middle of a **coronavirus epidemic** too, adding its stripe of pain to our dismal state of affairs and about which **little has been done to safe guard Canadians** and the economy. But the federal government and media will now use it to **push the crisis of national unity** from news headlines. In the political world, **if it doesn't make headlines, then it is not a problem**. And if the government **can buy off the headlines ...**

Trudeau has **spewed the word ‘reconciliation’** steadily for over four years. Yet the word has not been legally defined, adding more **hopelessness* to the**

indigenous population whose patience has worn thin waiting for it to appear.

What should **reconciliation** look like? It should start with ending apartheid. After all, Canada **boycotted** South Africa for thirty years for that very reason. Reserves are federal land. **Clear title** should be given over to the people on reserve lands, not to the chiefs or hereditary chiefs or band councils, but **to the people. Ownership is everything.** Right to ownership is everything, as it should be in a free and democratic nation.

Reconciliation should mean hope, dignity and equal opportunity and those only come with the availability of good paying jobs, higher education, housing, community venues, clean water, self-sufficiency and full participation in national commerce and the economy. All of this is **on the doorsteps of northern communities** offered by **resource industries**, except that **eco-groups with their own agendas**, who say they support indigenous people, are working hard to **pull out that reconciliation rug.**

As for the few **hereditary chiefs of the Wet'suwet'en** who kick-started this mess, they say they have the only right to speak for their people. This is an issue for the Wet'suwet'en people to resolve. However, **I doubt there is room for self-proclaimed absolute monarchs in a democracy.** Those same chiefs have declared Wet'suwet'en lands non-ceded and a sovereign nation. If that proves to be the legal truth of the matter, then **they are not part of Canada**, are not eligible to receive Canadian taxpayers' money and are responsible for their own economy, housing, education, policing, military, border control, health care etc. In that case, the "Office of the Wet'suwet'en" of the hereditary chiefs would need even **more cheques from Tides, Greenpeace and the Suzuki Foundation.**

Now let's toss the **colonial east/frontier west divide** on the federal level into this volatile mix, along with the **lack of equal regional representation** at the federal level, and we have a nation primed for divorce. I doubt it will be amicable, but with so much else going on, **western separation may be more readily achieved.**

Sadly, and too late, Trudeau might now realize that 'diversity is our strength' is merely doublespeak. And in fact, it is unity that is our strength.

Trudeau may get his post nation wish after all. Then again, perhaps his goal all along was to the break up the country and thereby achieve Quebec independence. If so, he has been more successful than he had likely ever dared hope.

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OUR READERS' COMMENTS SECTION

1. From a Reader: It's simple: we need, want, and deserve to have everything Quebec has. The above responses and related actions would be a good start. Our relationship with the Federal Government is no different than being in an abusive marriage. Over the years, the abuse has escalated in a very strategic and subtle manner; efforts to isolate us from financial and inter-provincial (family) support has increased; and we keep getting kicked to the curb just when we think there might be a window of hope. There isn't! It's time to plan a safe exit from our current environment and execute responsible steps to reposition our status within Canada. That means clearly putting our stake(s) in the ground and doing a 'Peter Lougheed'

2. From a Reader: My wife and I just returned from a 2 month stay, visiting the Southern parts of California, and then the Phoenix, Arizona area. We drove, so saw a lot of the Country, and talked to a lot of people. I also followed the news daily via TV and my iPad. Everywhere we went, houses and commercial buildings were being built, the stores and restaurants were all busy, and all Trump lovers were extremely happy with life. Even the Trump haters we met admitted that he and the Republicans are doing a good job. Freedom of expression is celebrated, and most believe that the US is exceptional. I hate to say it, but the Canada that I see is not the Canada that I want. We are being run by a top down system, where if we don't do as we are told, we are racist and bigoted. Our new national religion is Climate Change. The Liberals, NDP, and Greens want to shut down the oil and gas industry, and are doing a pretty good job! Our schools and universities also preach this global religion, so indoctrination is rampant. We are constantly told, Diversity is our Strength. But is it really? I don't dare say more, for fear of the being accused of hate speech. And guilty until proven innocent! One thing is crystal clear. Alberta, Saskatchewan, and the East and Peace River area of BC, need to form a new Country! What a sad state of affairs.

Seriously thinking of a move to the US, but only if Trump is re-elected.

3. From a Reader: The silver lining in the dark cloud hanging over the Alberta economy is that the meddling by the American Foundations and the ignorant behaviour of the environmental activists in Canada can drive Alberta to separate. If the Prairie provinces form our own country, our quality of life will far superior to what we have today. So bring it on and help us to realize our potential. Something like that is worth working for and I encourage all of you to get out there and make it happen.

4. From a Reader: A fifth necessity: Mandatory Bilingualism must be scrapped. It's costing Billions that should be used for health care, vets and Seniors. Enough is enough! The French language has to survive on it's own merits, not by forcing it on Canada outside of Quebec.

5. From a Reader: You need to be doing is getting the media on your side. All I ever hear on the news the last few years is how bad fossil fuel is to the environment. Plus the bloody teachers are brain washing the next generation with there self-serving bullshit on climate change. What they don't understand is if media and teachers with there negative talk kills Alberta's energy sector, none of them will have jobs as well. Its a trickle down thing.

ADDITIONAL READING/ VIEWING

In closing, here is additional information on the problems we are facing and the need for us to take remedial action immediately to right our sinking ship.

1. FORMER PREMIER DANNY WILLIAMS - SPEAKING FOR CANADA!!

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2. REX MURPHY: MR. PRIME MINISTER, PLEASE MAKE A CHOICE: PARIS OR CALGARY? [Click here](#)

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4. JACK MINTZ: CANADIANS HAVE TAKEN ALBERTA FOR GRANTED THAT'S DANGEROUS FOR ALL OF US! [Click here](#)

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Please **share** this email with your contacts so we can turn this unfair, inequitable, unjustifiable travesty around for the good of all Canadians. If you would like to submit information or articles, please send them to me.

Thank you for ALL of your support and interest!

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