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RFK Jr. Calls Ultra-Processed Foods a “Genocide” Against Native Americans in Congressional Testimony

By Levi Rickert * May 16, 2025

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During a May 14, 2025 hearing before the House Appropriations Committee, Health and Human Services Secretary Robert F. Kennedy Jr. described the widespread distribution of ultra-processed foods “AKA Commodities,” in Native American communities as a form of “genocide,” drawing national attention to long-standing health disparities affecting Indigenous populations.

Kennedy’s remarks centered on the health crisis linked to federal food assistance programs on tribal lands—programs that often prioritize cheap, processed items over nutritious, culturally appropriate foods. Citing the dramatic health decline among the Pima people of Arizona, Kennedy underscored the connection between poor nutrition and chronic diseases devastating Native communities.

“We’re feeding people food that we know causes obesity, diabetes, kidney failure, and heart disease,” Kennedy said. “And we continue doing it decade after decade. That is genocide.”

Kennedy referenced the Pima as a case study. Once known for their robust health and active lifestyles, the Pima who reside on U.S. reservations now face a life expectancy between just 47 and 53 years—decades shorter than the national average of 74.8 years. In contrast, Pima communities across the border in Mexico, who maintain more traditional diets, experience longer lives and significantly lower rates of diabetes and obesity.

This stark difference, Kennedy argued, illustrates the devastating health impact of industrialized food systems imposed on Native communities.

During his testimony, Kennedy called for comprehensive reforms. These include revamping federal nutrition programs, increasing access to traditional and locally grown foods, and strengthening support

for Indigenous-led health initiatives. He also committed to prioritizing funding for the Indian Health Service (IHS), which remains chronically underfunded and understaffed.

“If we want to talk about justice, we must start by returning autonomy over health and food back to Native people,” Kennedy said.

Despite his promises, Kennedy has come under fire from tribal leaders and Native health advocates for contradictory actions. The administration recently cut \$32.5 million in funding for the CDC’s *Healthy Tribes* program, which supported chronic disease prevention and traditional medicine. Over 30 positions were eliminated, including 11 directly linked to tribal initiatives.

For many Native leaders, these cuts undermine Kennedy’s words and raise questions about the federal government’s commitment to fulfilling its trust and treaty obligations.

Kennedy’s strong rhetoric has sparked a range of reactions across Indian Country. Some welcome the attention to long-ignored health disparities, while others remain skeptical. Former Interior Secretary Deb Haaland, a tribal citizen of the Laguna Pueblo, criticized the decision to reassign top HHS officials to tribal areas without consultation, calling it a failure of government-to-government respect.

“You can’t impose solutions on us and call it support,” Haaland said. “Real partnership starts with listening.”

MY VIEW Ernie C. Salgado, Jr.

I’m sure Kennedy means well and his heart is in the right place, but the political reality in the FOUR branches of the U.S. Government; the Executive,



Congress, Judicial & Bureaucracy AKA Deep State is not sympatric to the Tribal needs or Treaty Rights of the American Indians.

The hypocrisy of Haaland comments is an excellent example of the failed Bureaucracy even under her tenure as the DEI Secretary of the Interior in which she did little to nothing to help San Carlos Apache Tribe at Oak Flat & many others. Her political sound bites are nothing more than that, to promote her election campaign as Governor of New Mexico.

The supreme court’s anti Tribal rulings on jurisdiction in Oklahoma, the Navajo Treaty regarding water & refusing to rule on the Government to Government relationship between the USA & Tribes vs racial in the Indian Child Welfare Act case. Kicking the can down the road.

The “Commodities,” which Kennedy referenced as “ultra-processed foods” will continue to be distributed through out Indian Country and other poor communities. Nothing will change, only the cuts.

For the record, I honestly believe Kennedy cares for the American people.

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I studied at Pope Leo's seminary. He's a profound antithesis to Trump's agenda.

Opinion by [Michael Steele](#) * MSNBC



Pope Leo XIV is not just the first American pope, he’s the first Augustinian one.

The former Rev. Robert Prevost studied at the Minor Seminary of the Augustinian Friars. The order, which dates back to the 13th century, takes its inspiration from St. Augustine of Hippo, a rebel, a bishop and influential theologian. The Augustinian ethos includes a contemplative spirituality, communal living and service to others.

The choice of the name “Leo XIV” is a clear indication of the importance the pope will place on service to others. Pope Leo XIII — whose spirit the pope has invoked — left a legacy that centered on service to the poor, migrants, workers, families and community.

So it is no surprise that in his first public moment, as Pope Leo offered his Urbi et Orbi Blessing (to the city of Rome and to the world) as he stood on the balcony of St. Peter’s Basilica, his very first words, “Peace be with you all,” reflected a subtle shift in the papacy.

While this is a common greeting in the Catholic Church, his choice here contrasted with his two predecessors. Pope Francis began with the request to “pray to the Lord that he will bless me,” while Pope Benedict noted that “the cardinals have elected me, a simple, humble laborer in the vineyard of the Lord.” While humble, their words referred first to themselves.

Although I left the order before being ordained, I carried with me into my public life as an elected official and party chairman what I learned about service to others. Politicians too often lose sight of that. As the Augustinians will tell you, *you are the least important part of the work you do; rather how you serve others* — whether you are a pope or a politician — is what matters.

As Pope, Leo will likely engage the world through an Augustinian lens, encouraging spiritual depth over outward displays of power, as well as a profound commitment to social justice.

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Trump's push for Lumbee recognition causes concern among other Native tribes

Story by Laken Kincaid * NBC News



and that members have genealogies that demonstrate both Native heritage and distinct ancestry from previously recognized tribes.

“The fact that we are still here centuries after colonial expansion, centuries after war and disease ... should be celebrated,” Lumbee Chairman John

L. Lowery told The Robesonian, a local newspaper. Lowery declined an interview request from NBC News but said in a statement that he looks *“forward to the White House formalizing the document and sending it over to congressional leadership.”*

The Lumbee’s were denied the full benefits of recognition by the Lumbee Act of 1956, a law that prohibits the U.S. from having a federal relationship with the group. This blocks the tribe’s outright recognition along with access to government funding for needs such as health care, education and economic development.

“The more than 60,000 North Carolina members of the Lumbee Tribe have waited decades for federal recognition,” Sen. Ted Budd, R-N.C., said in a 2023 press release. *“They deserve the same rights, privileges, and respect granted to*

other Native American tribes throughout our country.”

By circumventing this evaluation, multiple Native groups and tribal leaders worry that this could set the wrong precedent for tribal recognition in the future. Chief Michell Hicks of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians says that a “diligent process” must be in place, and he worries about how this order could erode the current method of recognition.

For some chiefs like Brad KillsCrow of the Delaware Tribe of Indians, this order undermines the efforts that other Native groups have undertaken toward their own recognition.

“There’s a process that has been put in place, a process that we all have gone through and each of the 574 [recognized] tribes were able to prove who they were and their existence,” KillsCrow said. *“Don’t try to take a back door and not do what everybody else has and then get federal recognition.”*

Broader implications

For KillsCrow, the Lumbee Tribe’s recognition loophole is not a lone issue. The chief says he has interacted with multiple groups claiming to have Delaware ancestry but that haven’t proved their historic roots. He worries that if



Lumbee Chairman John L. Lowery

President Donald Trump’s move toward federal recognition of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina fulfills a repeated promise he made on the campaign trail, but it has sparked concern from other Native American tribes about the precedent set by the different process used in this instance.

During the first days of his second term in office, **Trump signed an executive order** urging the Department of the Interior to create a plan that would identify a pathway for the federal recognition of the Lumbee’s.

To be federally recognized, tribes must meet a specific set of criteria, including: proving their nation existed before the founding of the United States, that the tribe has been recognized as Native since 1900 or before, that the tribe has operated as an **“autonomous entity”**

and that members have genealogies that demonstrate both Native heritage and distinct ancestry from previously recognized tribes.

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the Lumbee are able to successfully bypass the OFA standards, other organizations that haven’t met those guidelines will be able to do the same in the future.

KillsCrow also highlights some potential financial ramifications to Lumbee recognition. The Congressional Budget Office estimates that it would cost over \$350 million to recognize the Lumbee Tribe and provide it with the allotted benefits. As the leader of a small tribe, he worries this will strip money away from his own budget.

Hicks and KillsCrow believe this push for Lumbee recognition by the executive branch is rooted in the politicization of Native issues.

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MY VIEW Ernie C. Salgado, Jr. I don’t know Chief Michell Hicks of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians or Chief Brad KillsCrow of the Delaware Tribe of Indians, but I do know the BIA (Bureau of Indian Affairs) mentality. I also question their understanding of the Government to Government relationship between the American Indian Tribes and the Federal Government as being political. As per the statement as stated; *“Hicks and KillsCrow believe this push for Lumbee recognition by the executive branch is rooted in the politicization of Native issues.”* What else should it be?

Chief KillsCrow is wrong in his statement that all of the 574 Federally Recognized Tribe have gone through the same process for Federal Recognition. In way of example, the Alaskan Tribal Corporations were recognized as Indian Tribes in PL 93-638 the Indian Self-Determination and Education Act in

1976 and several Tribal groups were granted Federal Recognition in the mid 1990’s during the Clinton Administration. This is the process he is referring too I believe.

The basic resistance to the Lumbee people gaining Federal Recognition is MONEY, which is a sad commentary to the basic traditions, customs and value of American Indians. However, the priority, of money over Indian people is a fundamental reality within many tribe through out the Nation. The disenrollment of Tribal member serves as a despicable example of this shortsighted mindset. What Chief’s Hicks and KillsCrow as well as the many others Tribes that support their position is President Trump’s effort to eliminate the failed bureaucracy to a political relationship between the Executive Branch and Congress as it should be as it was intended to be in the first place.

Chief’s Hicks and KillsCrow are absolutely correct in their belief that President Trump’s efforts with the Lumbees *“is rooted in the politicization of Native issues.”* However, they completely fail to see the positive is his strategy.

All the President need to do is issue an Executive Order recognizing the Lumbee as a Federally Recognized Tribe and for Congress to ratify it and the American Indian Tribes will have taken a giant step toward real Tribal Sovereignty.

The reality is that the majority of the Nations Tribe are **“Woke Infested”** or **“BIA Indians,”** and will fight to keep the bone the Government throughs them sd opposed to self-sufficiency.

Then again, it depends on how hard President Trump is willing to fight for the Lumbee people. The American Indian Tribes could come out of this winners despite their lack of foresight.

Liberals Get A Taste Of Their Own ‘January 6’ Medicine

Opinion by Natalie Sandoval



“No one is above the law,” drones the Democrat chorus as they pursue specious prosecutions of their enemies. **“Except for us. And our friends. And our illegal aliens.”**

President Donald Trump’s crackdown on illegal migration has roused retaliatory rhetoric from the Democratic Party. House Minority Leader Hakeem Jeffries issued vaguely menacing remarks in response to the Trump administration’s inquiry into an altercation between Democratic members of the House of Representatives and United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) agents

“What happens if they were to go and arrest these members or if they would try to sanction them News congressional reporter Chad Pergram asked Jeffries.

“They’ll find out,” Jeffries repeated. He elaborated: *“It’s a red line. It’s very clear ... I think that so-called Homeland Security spokesperson is a joke. It’s a joke. They know better than to go down that road, and it’s been made loudly and abundantly clear to the Trump administration, we’re not going to be intimidated by their tactics to try to force principled opposition from not standing up to their extremism.”*

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Phil Robertson Go in Peace

‘Biological reality’: Texas passes bill defining ‘woman,’ protecting female-only spaces

May 28, 2025 * [Daisy Roser](#) * [Read More @ Daily Caller](#)

The Texas legislature has passed a bill protecting single sex spaces, such as girls’ locker rooms in schools, and mandating identification by biological sex on government-issued documents, including driver’s licenses and other photo IDs.

House Bill 229 passed in the Texas Senate early Wednesday (May 27, 2025) by an exact party-line vote of 20 to 11, according to the Texas Tribune. The bill, which passed in the Texas House on May 12, defines “female” and “woman” as “an individual whose biological reproductive system is developed to produce ova.”

The bill, sponsored by Republican Texas state Rep. Ellen Troxclair,

also defines “male” or “man” as “an individual whose biological reproductive system is developed to fertilize the ova of a female.”

The legislation also describes “sex” as “an individual’s biological sex, either male or female.”

Troxclair’s bill states that “there are legitimate reasons to distinguish” between men and women “with respect to athletics, prisons ... domestic violence shelters, rape crisis centers, locker rooms, restrooms, and other areas where biology, safety, or privacy are implicated.”

Women’s rights activist, Riley Gaines, called the legislation a “common-sense bill [that] simply defines and codifies sex-based terms,” in an X post.

June 2, 1924, 101 Years ago, Congress passed The Indian Citizenship Act AKA Synder Act

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For many of our Tribal youth the significant of this historic legislation is irrelevant & taken fore-granted. As a Tribal Elder I must take the reasonability for the failure to educate them. My father was born in 1920 and became an American citizen under this Act at the age of 4. Therefore, my bothers, sisters and I were born first generation American citizens.

The Psychology of Turkeys

This page is dedicated to the insane actions, decisions and policies made by our would be leaders.

MY VIEW by Ernie C. Salgado

Media bias against Caitlin Clark



CBS EXPLOSION: Stephen Colbert Drops Truth Bomb on The Late Show—Media Bias EXPOSED LIVE!

Stephen Colbert stunned viewers by calling out hidden media bias against Caitlin Clark on air. The audience’s jaw dropped as he peeled back layers of deception and favoritism. What’s really going on behind the headlines? This explosive revelation is shaking CBS—and viewers can’t look away from the fallout.

Supreme Court allows Trump to cancel protected status for Venezuelans

Story by Justin Jouvenal * May 19, 2025 * The Washington Post

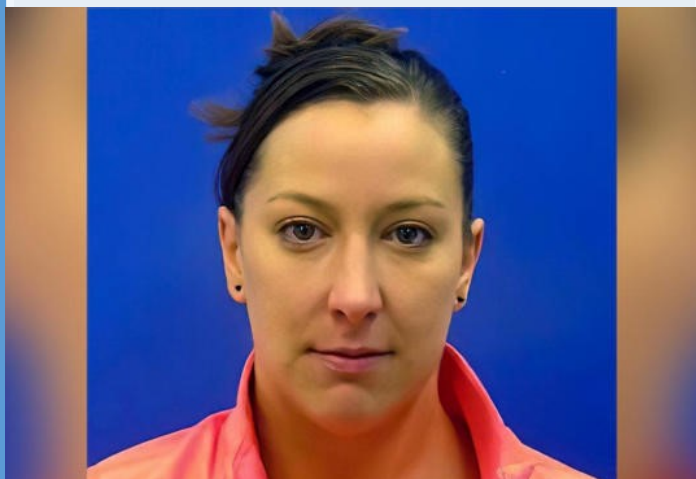


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The Pandemic taught me one thing.
If America is ever attacked by invaders, the Democrats will join the enemy!

Ashli Babbitt's family to receive \$5 million in settlement with Trump admin: Sources



This driver's license photo from the Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA), provided to AP by the Calvert County Sheriff's Office, shows Ashli Babbitt. © Maryland MVA/ Courtesy of the Calvert County Sheriff's Office via AP

The Trump administration is set to pay out nearly \$5 million to settle a lawsuit brought by the family of Ashli Babbitt, a rioter fatally shot during the Jan. 6 attack on the U.S. Capitol, sources familiar with the matter confirmed to ABC News on Monday (May 2025).

The settlement will resolve a \$30 million suit brought by Babbitt's estate and the conservative group Judicial Watch alleging the Capitol Police officer who shot her as she attempted to breach a broken window of the House speaker's lobby was negligent in his duties.

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Says the party that wants to decide if a baby should live or die, how much money you should earn, what energy source you should use, what words you can say, what they can do to your kids without your permission, how you must refer to what a person wants to identify as and who can own a gun.



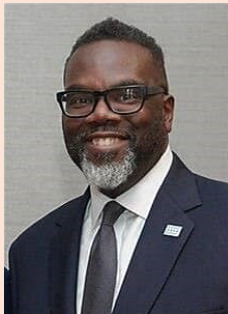
Chicago mayor boasts that he discriminates against white people

May 19, 2025 * Chris Donaldson * BPR

The belief that white people deserve to be punished for their perceived sins has taken deep root in the modern Democratic Party, and some, like Chicago Mayor Brandon Johnson, are using their positions of power to engage in open discrimination.

In remarks that have gone viral on social media, the embattled Democrat proudly boasts about how he only hires black people, suggesting that whites are inferior to the most “generous” race on God’s green Earth.

Johnson’s remarks came during a recent event in



which he justified the race-based hiring philosophy of hiring only blacks for the majority of the powerful positions in his office.

Johnson also bragged that he doles out construction contracts based on skin color.

The mayor’s ringing endorsement of what would seem to be illegal discrimination drew a strong response from X users.

In a poll taken earlier this year, Johnson posted a sub-putrid approval number of 6.8 percent, staking his claim as the worst mayor in America.

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Obama judge strikes again, overrules DOGE takeover of shady ‘U.S. Institute of Peace’

May 20, 2025 * Vivek Saxena * BPR

A notorious far-left Obama judge ruled on Monday (May 19, 2025) that the Trump administration illegally took over the U.S. Institute of Peace (USIP).

In her ruling, U.S. District Judge Beryl Howell, a notorious Obama appointee linked strongly with the left (see the video below), slammed the administration for taking over USIP earlier this year and then replacing its top officials with members of the Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE).

Howell specifically ruled that “the removal of USIP’s president, his replacement by officials affiliated with DOGE, the termination of nearly all of USIP’s staff, and the transfer of USIP property to the General Services Administration” were

“effectuated by illegitimately-installed leaders who lacked legal authority to take these actions, which must therefore be declared null and void.”

By “illegally-installed leaders,” she meant the DOGE staffers.

Howell continued by accusing the Trump administration and DOGE of having “used brute force and threats of criminal process to take over USIP’s headquarters, despite being cautioned that this organization did not fall within the executive branch and its leadership was not subject to the president’s unilateral executive branch removal power.” [Read More @ BPR](#)

ICE-assaulting Rep says it’s ‘absurd’ that she has to follow the same laws as regular Americans

May 22, 2025 * Frieda Powers * BPR * [Read More @ BPR](#)

Democratic Rep. LaMonica McIver has no regrets even after being charged with assaulting federal officers at a New Jersey immigrant detention facility.

Not only does the New Jersey Democrat think her actions were the result of a situation “escalated by ICE,” but she thinks it’s “absurd” that she is being charged at all.

“Well, I think one – this is political intimidation from the Trump administration,” she said in an MSNBC interview.

“Me being charged is absurd, you know, especially when I’m just there to do my job,” she contended.

“The confusion and the chaos that you see was caused by ICE officials and Homeland Security,” she continued.

“They created this unnecessary situation by arresting the mayor,” McIver said, adding that the federal officials created an “unsafe environment” for “peaceful protesters” and the members of Congress who claimed they were exercising their oversight duties in demanding to enter the facility.

The Justice Department alleged that McIver “slammed her forearm into the body of a uniformed HSI agent and reached out and tried to restrain the agent by forcibly grabbing him.”

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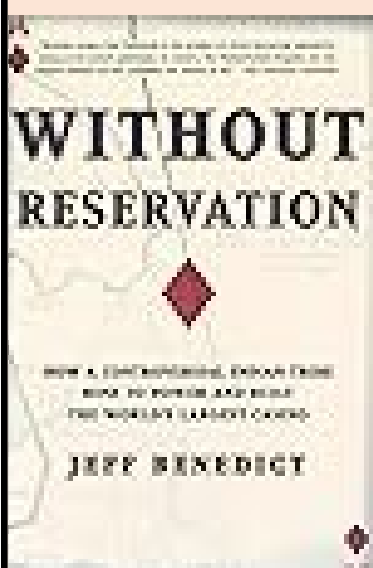
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American Prisoners of War: Their Crime, Protecting Their Land, Freedom & Way of Life



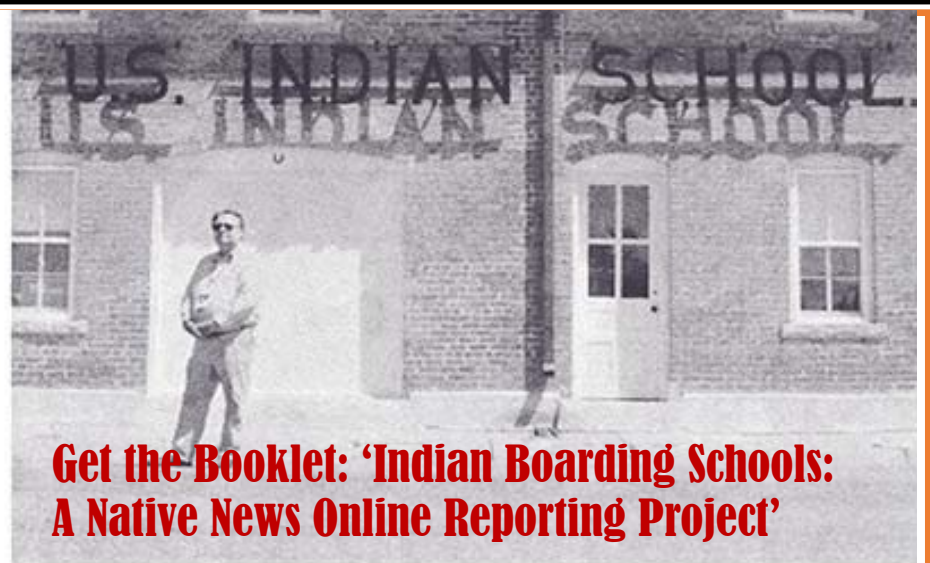
Geronimo's final band pictured in front of the train car taking them to prison in Florida. Geronimo is in the front row, third from the right. Immediately to his left is Chief Naiche. In the back row, third from the right is Lozen, the famous woman warrior. This is the only known photograph of her. C. 1889.

Without Reservation: How a Controversial Indian Tribe Rose to Power and Built the World's Largest Casino



The book seems at times like a legal thriller, a psychological drama, a morality tale, and a scandal sheet." -- Richard Tambling, Hartford Journal Inquirer

Jeff Benedict, the author of No Bone Unturned, tracks the transformation of the Mashantucket Pequots from a population of one on 214 miserable acres in the early 1970s to today's largest landowner in Connecticut. Led by a former laborer, Tribal Chairman Richard "Skip" Hayward, the Pequots have become the wealthiest, most politically influential Indian tribe in the United States. In Without Reservation, Benedict ex-



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San Carlos Apache Tribe Applauds Federal Court Ruling Blocking Transfer of Sacred Oak Flat Land

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The San Carlos Apache Tribe welcomed a May 9, 2025 federal court decision that temporarily halts the U.S. government’s plan to transfer Oak Flat—sacred Western Apache land within the Tonto National Forest—to Resolution Copper, a company backed by Chinese interests.

“This marks a turning point in our two-decade struggle to save Oak Flat from destruction by two of the world’s largest mining corporations,” said San Carlos Apache Chairman Terry Rambler. *“We congratulate Apache Stronghold for securing this historic legal victory.”*

Apache Stronghold filed an emergency motion to block the transfer while the U.S. Supreme Court considers hearing their case. The case challenges a federal law mandating the land’s transfer to Resolution Copper Mining, LLC once an environmental impact report is issued—a report the federal government was preparing to release after June 16, 2025.

The ruling halts the land transfer until the Supreme Court decides whether to review the case.

“There is no close question in this matter,” wrote

U.S. District Judge Steven P. Logan. *“The balance of equities tips sharply in Plaintiff’s favor, and they have presented serious questions on the merits that warrant the Supreme Court’s careful scrutiny.”*

Oak Flat, or Chi’chil Bitdagoteel in Apache, is on the National Register of Historic Places and had been protected for 70 years. Those protections were revoked in 2014 when Congress added a land-swap provision to a must-pass defense bill. Resolution Copper plans to mine the area, ultimately creating a crater two miles wide and over 1,000 feet deep.

“We urge the Supreme Court to accept Apache Stronghold’s petition and affirm our right to practice religious ceremonies that can only be held at Oak Flat,” Chairman Rambler added. *“Indigenous peoples around the world are watching and hoping the Court will finally treat Native religious practices with the same respect as other major world religions.”*

Resolution Copper is jointly owned by Rio Tinto (UK-based) and BHP (Australia-based), the two largest mining companies globally. Both derive significant revenue from China. The Chinese state-owned

firm Chinalco, which focuses on securing strategic minerals like copper, is Rio Tinto’s largest shareholder, holding nearly 15% of its stock.

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So many question need to be asked and answered yet, not one peep from anyone.

Question 1: Why is America giving the largest copper deposit in the world to China?

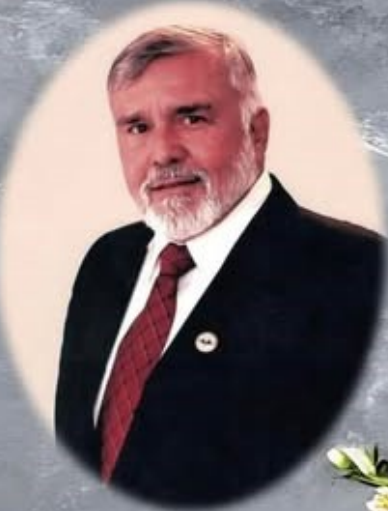
Question 2: Why have President’s Obama, Trump & Biden supported this anti-America giveaway?

Question 3: Why was mining corp. given serious environmental waivers such no reclamation plan, no water contamination restrictions & no dust controls?

Question 4: Where are all the environments? This is bigger than cow farts!

Question 5: Where is the News? Congress? DOJ, FBI & the rest of the alphabet?

This is beyond the San Carlos Apache Tribe.



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Shaquille O’Neal EXPLODES in Controversy—Calls Angel Reese an ‘Idiot’ Live, Igniting Social Media Fury
NBA legend Shaq shocked fans by insulting WNBA star Angel Reese with a brutal slur. The backlash was instant and fierce, demanding respect, accountability, and a public apology. What really happened behind the scenes—and will Shaq’s legacy survive this .

Nation’s sole black governor vetoes reparations bill

Daily Caller * May 20, 2025 * Ireland Owens



Democratic Maryland Gov. Wes Moore announced Friday (May 16, 2025) that he vetoed a bill that would have created a commission to study and recommend potential reparations for people impacted by slavery and racial discrimination in his state.

Moore, the nation’s only currently serving black governor and the third African American elected to lead a state in American history, wrote in a letter that his decision to veto the reparations bill was a “difficult” one, claiming he believes Maryland has sufficiently studied the impact of slavery. The governor added that he believes his state needs to focus on addressing issues such as “the racial wealth gap, expanding homeownership, uplifting

entrepreneurs of color, and closing the foundational disparities that lead to inequality” instead of looking into potential reparations.

“I will always protect and defend the full history of African Americans in our state and country,” Moore wrote in his letter. *“But in light of the many important studies that have taken place on this issue over nearly three decades, now is the time to focus on the work itself: Narrowing the racial wealth gap, expanding homeownership, uplifting entrepreneurs of color, and closing the foundational disparities that lead to inequality — from food insecurity to education.”*

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‘Stop the bullsh*t’: Charlamagne, Andrew Schulz torch Dems for virtue signaling as ‘smoke screen’ for their corruption

May 23, 2025 * [Jason Cohen](#) * Daily Caller News Foundation

Radio host Charlamagne Tha God and comedian Andrew Schulz accused Democrats of pretending to be morally upright in order to deflect from their corruption during a Friday episode of their podcast.

Schulz interviewed independent Vermont Sen. Bernie Sanders on a Monday episode of his *“Flagrant”* podcast. On *“The Brilliant Idiots,”* the comedian said that he had wanted to ask Sanders whether the distinction between Democrats and Republicans was that both are influenced by special interests like big pharma and wealthy corporations, but only the Democrats support causes like transgender bathroom policies.

“Is that the only difference?” Schulz asked.

“No, I think the difference is Democrats act like they’re something they’re not,” Charlamagne replied.

Schulz said Americans are often labeled *“some fucking right-wing manic”* when they “see through” the inconsistency.

“But that’s why they virtue signal so much,” Charlamagne said. *“They virtue signal to distract you from the fact:*

‘We’re doing the same shit we’re just doing it ... covertly.’”

“So you’re just using those communities that you say you care about? You’re using those communities that you say you care about as a smoke screen so you can keep on taking the same money from big pharma, keep on taking the same money from the healthcare companies, keep on taking the same money from the military companies. Like, stop the bullshit,” Schulz added. *“The internet is available to people. We can Google things. You can’t lie like you could before with the protection of a corporate media. It’s seen through. You have to have a different mode that you can play.”*

Sanders on *“Flagrant”* agreed with Schulz’s co-host Akaash Singh that the Democratic Party is “a threat to democracy” based on its presidential primary process, saying it is the reason he is “proud to be an independent.”

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Says the party that wants to decide if a baby should live or die, how much money you should earn, what energy source you should use, what words you can say, what they can do to your kids without your permission, how you must refer to what a person wants to identify as and who can own a gun.



Karoline Leavitt struck back at LeBron James after he referred to her as “KKK Barbie” in an interview.

“My family fought to end slavery,” she clapped back, “While yours came here from Jamaica in the 1930s.”

LeBron hasn’t responded. 🤔



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Assemblymember Ramos and Mrs. Ramos Honored at the Native students graduation ceremony at UC Berkeley Law School



BERKELEY—University of California Berkeley School of Law’s 2025 Native American Law Student Association (NALSA) recently celebrated the work of Assemblymember James C. Ramos (D-San Bernardino) at its Honoring Ceremony, Assemblymember James C. Ramos (D-Highland) and his wife of 36 years, Terri Ramos. The couple was recognized for their lasting impact and leadership.

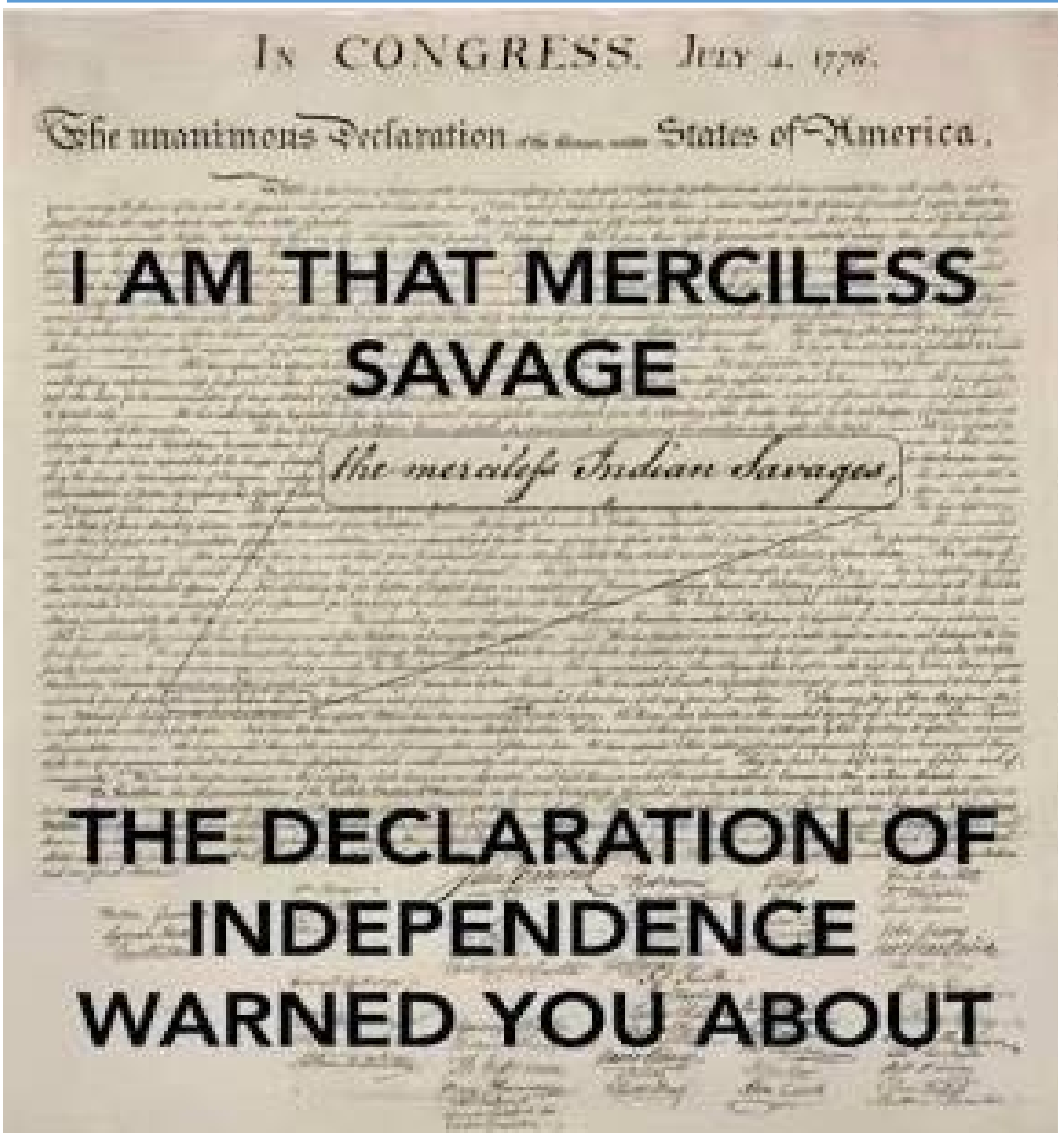
Merri Lopez-Keifer, Executive Director of the Center for Indigenous Law & Justice at the law school stated, *“Terri Ramos was honored for her steadfast support of her family and community. As the partner of a tribal leader and legislator, her quiet strength underscores that leadership often happens in everyday acts of care and resilience.”*

Asm. Ramos delivered the keynote at the UC Botanical Garden. During his remarks, the lawmaker emphasized the need to defend tribal sovereignty and advance self-determination. His remarks highlighted both past struggles and ongoing efforts in the legislature.

This year’s NALSA graduates include Mackenzie Gettel (Iowa Nation), Dylan Good (Maidu), Grace Li (Modoc Nation Descendant), Robin Martinez (Navajo), Joseph Ross (Cherokee Nation), Washakie Tibbetts (White Earth Ojibwe & Wind River Shoshone) and Lucas White Moon (Gros Ventre). The Center for Indigenous Law & Justice hosted the event which included family and friends in addition to the graduates.

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Assemblymember James C. Ramos proudly represents the 45th Assembly district that includes the Cities of Fontana, Highland, Mentone, Redlands, Rialto and San Bernardino. He is the first and only California Native American serving in the state’s legislature. Ramos chairs the Assembly Budget Subcommittee #6 on Public Safety and the Assembly Select Committee on Native American Affairs.



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Pope Leo shows you don't need to be woke to stay relevant

Opinion by Daniel Johnson * Telegraph

What is the secret of Pope Leo's popularity? In less than a month, he seems to have brought something fresh to this most ancient of offices. He has reminded us that the timeless is always timely.

In other words, you do not have to be woke to be relevant. Might other churches, in particular the Church of England, follow his example? Catholics ought not to lecture other denominations; heaven knows, there are more than enough motes and beams to go round.

But Leo XIV does teach us a useful lesson about Christian ministry in the 21st century. The key to contemporary evangelism is not to tell people what they want to hear, still less to imitate the high priests of the secular world, but to speak with the voice of Jesus to Pontius Pilate: *"To this end was I born, for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness to the truth."*

No sooner had Leo been elected than he gave notice to the Caesars of our time. His clear-eyed support for "martyred Ukraine" (in contrast to Francis's equivocation) was demonstrated by giving Zelensky priority over Trump's delegation in a private audience after his Inauguration Mass last Sunday (May 18, 2025).

No less urgent is a new policy on China, where the Communist Party is appointing new state "bishops" without consultation. Leo knows that if he abrogates the disgraceful concordat agreed by Cardinal Parolin under Pope Francis, Xi Jinping is ruthless enough to incarcerate Chinese Catholics *en masse*, as he has already done to their episcopate and to the Muslim Uyghurs. But St John Paul II showed how to handle one-party states and Leo has already echoed the Polish Pope's signature message: *"Be not afraid."*

The BBC and others who take the obsolescence of a 2,000-year-old institution as axiomatic have been claiming that the new Pope will be "continuity



Francis". Leo is an Augustinian friar who, having spent much of his life in Peru, will be no less zealous on behalf of the poor than the Argentinian Jesuit. His choice of name reminds us that the "option for the poor" goes back to Leo XIII's social teaching and ultimately, of course, to the Sermon on the Mount.

Yet Leo is cast in a different mold from Francis. As a mathematician, a canon lawyer and an intellectual, he believes in resolving disputes, not reopening them. He has fully absorbed the legacy of Benedict XVI, whose recognition as a Doctor of the Church he will doubtless champion. In one of his first homilies, he quoted Benedict: *"God loves us. This is the great truth of our life; it is what makes everything else meaningful."*

For Leo, the mystery and beauty of the Catholic liturgy are integral to faith. That includes both forms of the Latin Mass and the various rites of the Eastern Churches. Anglicans should likewise treasure the Book of Common Prayer.

Leo's inauguration Mass opened with the Sistine choir chanting the *Laudes Regiae*, the royal acclamations whose origins go back to Roman antiquity. The refrain - *Christus vincit! Christus regnat! Christus imperat!* ("Christ conquers! Christ reigns! Christ commands!") - proclaims the ultimate triumph of Christ.

Leo XIV exudes American confidence. His promises to be a long, significant and surprising pontificate. The Leonine revolution has only just begun.

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BASEBALL FAN ZONE



FRESHMAN ALL AMERICAN
P | MIALI GUACHINO
SECOND TEAM

Congrats to Ole Miss RHP Miali Guachino (Pala Tribe/Colville Tribes) who has been named a Freshman All-American by D1Softball.

At almost 35 years old, Joseph Burton crowned MVP of NM1 for a second time! Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians Tribal Member



And a new MVP title for Joseph (Silvas) Burton! After the Pro B in 2016 and the NM1 in 2023, the Orchies (6ft 8in) center is making a double in the upper federal division, after being named best player of the 2024-2025 season. The American (Indian) once again dominated the National 1 courts, finishing the season with the best average rating (23).

Age does not seem to have a hold on Joseph Burton (2.01 m, 34 years old), who will celebrate his 35th birthday at the end of the year (Born November 2, 1990). If he did not have as accomplished a year as in 2022-2023, the season of his first crowning (more than 21 points and 28 efficiency), the Californian (Soboba Rez Dogg) was once again one of the best players in the division with his incredible versatility for his interior position. Best average rating (23.1) ahead of Luka Nikolic (Challans) and Jaraun Burrows (Saint-Vallier), he is also the best rebounder (9.6), also being in the top 15 of the best scorers (15.2 points/game) and assists (4.5 assists/game).

A historic match in 2025

Even if Orchies failed to qualify for the playoffs, Joseph Burton has nevertheless multiplied the cards to try to achieve it. Like his historic night to start the year 2025, with a game with a 56 efficiency rating (29 points on 11/16 shooting and 7/9 from the field, 22 rebounds, 8 assists, 7 steals, 3 turnovers and 9 fouls caused in 39 minutes of play). Never before in NM1, as far back as we can go, that is to say more than 20 years back (2002-2003 season).

After 2023 and therefore 2025, Joseph Burton has almost achieved a double, he who was in Évreux in Pro B last season when the MVP trophy was awarded to another player from a northern club, Aaron Levarity (Boulogne-sur-Mer).

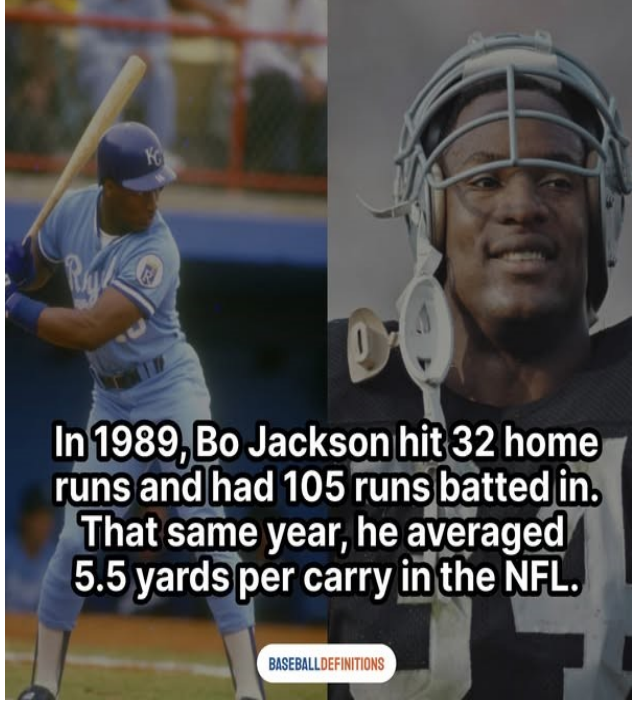
French Basketball Federation (@ffbasketball) May 16, 2025
Edited by Ernie C. Salgado, Jr., American Indian Reporter



The three American Indian young ladies pictured above will be playing in the 2025 College Woman's softball World Series. Miali Guachino, Ole Miss from Pala CA UCLA young lady is from Barona CA & the Tenn lady name and home is not known. The 2025 Women's College World Series (WCWS) will take place in Oklahoma City from May 29 to June 5/6, featuring the top eight teams in NCAA Division I softball.



Congrats to Laeloni Tobey, a member of the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony and a Senior at McDermitt High School in Nevada, who won the NIAA Class 1A Girls State Championships in Shotput and Discus. She is now a back-to-back NIAA 1A Girls State Champion.



In 1989, Bo Jackson hit 32 home runs and had 105 runs batted in. That same year, he averaged 5.5 yards per carry in the NFL.



2.25 MILLION
people watched Caitlin Clark defeat Angel Reese



Tyanna Ledford, (Eastern Band Cherokee) a senior at Riverside Indian School, is set to continue her softball journey at Oklahoma Wesleyan University

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This isn't just a song—it's an anthem. A cultural breakthrough. A moment frozen in time by a young Chicano kid with a guitar and a fearless spirit.

That kid was **Ritchie Valens**, born **Richard Steven Valenzuela** in 1941 in Pacoima, California. By 17, he became the first Mexican-American rock star to break into the mainstream. His fusion of Latin rhythm with rock & roll created something new—and unforgettable.

In just **eight months**, Ritchie gave us hits like “Come On, Let's Go”, “Donna”, and of course, “La Bamba.” He wasn't just making music—he was making history, crossing cultural boundaries and opening doors for countless Latino artists who followed.

But on **February 3, 1959**, the music stopped. Ritchie lost his life in a plane crash alongside **Buddy Holly** and **The Big Bopper**—a moment immortalized as “The Day the Music Died.” He was only **17 years old**.

Today, Ritchie lies at rest with his beloved mother, **Concepcion "Concha" Reyes**, whose strength and love helped shape the legend he became. Their shared gravestone is more than stone—it's a tribute to family, dreams, and a voiceSo yeah—

NEXT TIME YOU HEAR “LA BAMBA,” know that it came from a place of raw talent, pride, and the unbreakable will of a boy who believed he could make it big and did. And that he is still sings to us all.



“God, Family and Community”



Alice Cooper and his wife Sheryl..❤️ Alice Cooper has donated a lot of \$\$\$ to Navajo Nation communities, and built a Boys and Girls Club in AZ, north of Holbrook. They also established a recreation center in Dilkon, AZ....

Temecula USD's Critical Race Theory Ban 'Halted': What To Know ★ [READ More @ Patch](#)

As it now stands, CRT will be allowed back inside the classroom, allowing teachers, like TVUSD high school English teacher Jennifer Scharf, to return to teaching Toni Morrison’s *Beloved*, or other similar novels that she says cannot be properly taught "without talking about racial oppression and its lasting impacts." Something she stated in the original complaint that she was unable to do "in order to comply with the district's "vague definition of [CRT]."

MY VIEW Ernie C. Salgado, Jr.

What a shame! The positive is that the district can appeal the ruling since the majority of the school board oppose CRT. I would suggest that the school district hire an attorney that has the skills to write a well-defined critical race theory policy that unambiguously describes each component as Marxist, racist, anti-Christian and anti-Jewish. It is pure evil and should be forbidden to be taught in American.

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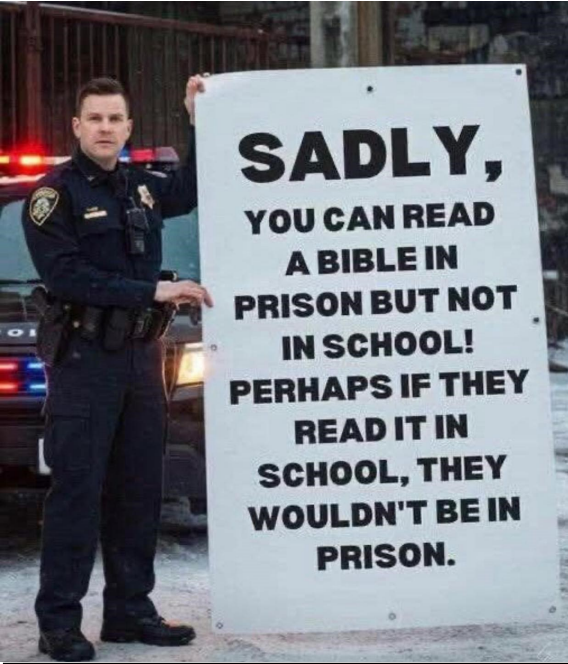
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Here is the list of 45 Senators who voted against keeping men out of your daughter's Sports

NAYS ---45

Alsobrooks (D-MD)	Lujan (D-NM)
Baldwin (D-WI)	Markey (D-MA)
Bennet (D-CO)	Merkley (D-OR)
Blumenthal (D-CT)	Murphy (D-CT)
Blunt Rochester (D-DE)	Murray (D-WA)
Booker (D-NJ)	Ossoff (D-GA)
Cantwell (D-WA)	Padilla (D-CA)
Coons (D-DE)	Peters (D-MI)
Cortez Masto (D-NV)	Reed (D-RI)
Duckworth (D-IL)	Rosen (D-NV)
Durbin (D-IL)	Sanders (I-VT)
Fetterman (D-PA)	Schatz (D-HI)
Gallego (D-AZ)	Schiff (D-CA)
Gillibrand (D-NY)	Schumer (D-NY)
Hassan (D-NH)	Shaheen (D-NH)
Heinrich (D-NM)	Smith (D-MN)
Hickenlooper (D-CO)	Van Hollen (D-MD)
Hirono (D-HI)	Warner (D-VA)
Kaine (D-VA)	Warnock (D-GA)
Kelly (D-AZ)	Warren (D-MA)
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Joseph Miranda Jr.
Retired CalFire Firefighter
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Celebration of Life May 30th, 2025 6:00pm -8:00pm
Inland Memorial 120 N Buena Vista St. Hemet, California

Graveside Service and Burial May 31st, 2025 10:00 am
Pala Tribal Cemetery 35000 Henderson Rd. Pala, California

Joseph was a great-grandson of John 'Fig Tree John' Razon from the Tribe of Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians'

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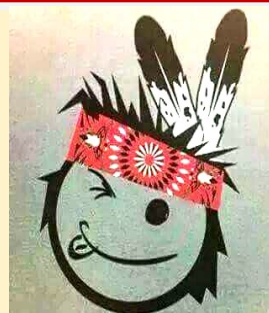
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Will Rogers, (November 4, 1879 – August 15, 1935)
“America is just like an insane asylum. There is not a soul in it
will admit they are crazy.” Rogers was an enrolled member of
the Cherokee Nation. Shayne’s Journal # 4677 May 13, 20202020

**ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS DO THE JOBS
AMERICANS DON'T WANT TO DO**



YEAH, LIKE VOTING FOR DEMOCRATS

**WHEN I'M A MAN I WANT
TO BE A DEMOCRAT**



**WELL YOU'LL HAVE TO DECIDE
HONEY, YOU CAN'T BE BOTH**

**Republicans better
realize there are 80
million Trump
supporters,
Not 80 million GOP
supporters.**

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**No trials. No delays. Deport
illegal invaders. Do you agree?**

Fitness guru Doug Brignole 'dies suddenly'

Back in 2021 he said:

**"Those of you who think the vaccine kills
people can use me as a test. If I die, you
were right".**



**Every single Democrat voted
against removing taxes on
overtime for our first
responders, nurses, and police
officers. REMEMBER THAT!**

Hillbilly Moms Letter

Dear Son, I'm writing this slow 'cause I know you can't read fast.

We don't live where we did when you left.

Your dad read in the paper that most accidents happen within twenty miles of home, so we moved.

Won't be able to send you the address as the last Arkansas family that lived here took the numbers with them for their house, so they wouldn't have to change their address.

This place has a washing machine. The first day I put four shirts in it, pulled the chain and haven't seen 'em since.

It only rained twice this week, three days the first time and four days the second time.

The coat you wanted me to send to you, Aunt Sue said it would be a little too heavy to send in the mail with them heavy buttons, so we cut them off and put them in the pockets.

We got a bill from the funeral home, and it said if we didn't make the final payment on Grandma's funeral bill, up she comes.

About your sister, she had a baby this morning. I haven't found out whether if it is a boy or girls so dont know if you are an Aunt or Uncle???

Your Uncle John fell in the whiskey vat. Some men tried to get him out, but he fought them off playfully, so he drowned.

We cremated him and he burned for three days.

Three of your friends went off the bridge in a pickup.

One was driving and the other two were in the back. The driver got out. He rolled down the window and swam to safety.

The other 2 drowned. They couldn't get the tailgate down.

Not much more news this time.

Nothing much happened. If you don't get this letter, please let me know and I will send another one.

Love, Mom

**Today's 3 year olds
can switch on laptops and
open their favorite apps**



**Me? When I was 3,
I ate mud**

**Bernie explains
the difference**



**DO NOT SHUT
THIS WOMAN UP.**



THIS SHIT IS GOLD...

“Under capitalism, man
oppresses man. Under
socialism, it's the other way
around.”
– Alexandria Ocasio-
Cortez



TO BE CLEAR,



**THESE ARE THE PEOPLE
DEMOCRATS ARE TRYING TO
SAVE FROM DEPORTATION!**



RAISED THE BAR



FAILED THE BAR



WORKED AT A BAR



LIVES AT THE BAR



CAN'T SPELL "THE BAR"



SHOULD BE BEHIND BARS



**HAPPY
FATHER'S DAY**

So Elizabeth Warren was asked about
Mollie Tibbetts being murdered by an
illegal immigrant.....

Her reply was:



“I know this is hard for her family, but
they have to remember that we need to
focus on real problems like illegal
immigrants not being able to see their
kids”

Let that sink in.



**Imagine the
disappointment if a
wolf knew his
descendants would be
a poodle.
That's how your
grandfather feels when
he sees your man bun.**

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