

## The Spectrum Between Good and Evil

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In today's polarized world, labels fly around recklessly. Some of the most common include: Commie, Racist, white Supremacist, Liberal, Conservative, MAGA, Progressive. When a person self-identifies as one of those, they own it proudly and openly. "I'm Progressive," or "I'm a Conservative." On the other extreme, a Progressive does not like being labeled a Commie; nor does a Conservative like being labeled a Racist. Ironically, a century ago, or even 60 years ago, the Democrats were the klan klan racist who fought any efforts to empower blacks. Their labeling of Conservatives as "Racists" is actually an example of the psychological phenomenon of projection, in which they accuse another person of being something that they actually are. Far more than the person they are accusing. They make everything about skin color, which exacerbates the very thing they claim to want to be solving.

On the other end of the spectrum, a good example of this projection is illustrated by Jesse Kelly (Show.com), one of my favorite "Conservative" hosts, though there are several key areas where I view things very differently. He uses the "Commie" label very boldly to...

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describe those who are seeking to destroy the foundations of freedom in order to bring in a Marxist "utopia" characterized by state control in which in actuality the ruling elite are wealthy while everyone else is forced in gross poverty and depravity. The promises are never realized because it is based on lies. Josserds is pointing these things out. It is also interesting to note that he also customized the projection phenomena. He warns of a coming right-wing dictator, while embodying the very attributes that are likely to manifest the very thing he is warning about. He lacks the "love your enemy" admonition of Christianity. He advocates against being idle in political activism. He says things along the lines of "It's working for them. Maybe we should do the same, so they stop winning."

But as I watch mainstream news such as NBC, I see marvelous human beings who love what they do. Yes, they voice some lies of propaganda, but most of them actually believe the lies. They didn't contrive the lie. They've bought it.

As I reflected on this last night, Alvaro & Me came to mind as being relevant, which I discussed last night with my cell. While reading this, apply it to the spectrum with the extremes of freedom on one hand relating to knowing in full, and the Marxist dictatorship on the other hand relating to the

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chains of hell. There's a huge spectrum between those extremes. Which direction you go in your personal alignment depends on whether you hearken to truth as it's presented or if you reject the truth in favor of a counterfactual. The more you hearken to truth, the more you align with a full knowledge / wisdom and the freedom that is associated therewith. The more you reject the truth and go with the lies instead, the more you align with captivity until arriving at full bondage.

"10 And therefore, he that will harden his heart, the same receoveth the lesser portion of the word; and he that will not harden his heart, to whom is given the greater portion of the word, until it is given unto him to know the mysteries of God until he know them in full."

"11 And they that will harden their hearts, to them is given the lesser portion of the word until they know nothing concerning his mysteries; and then they are taken captive by the devil, and led by his will down to destruction. Now this is what is meant by the chains of hell."

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