

A MESSAGE TO THE UNIVERSE  
[IS THERE ANY BODY OUT THERE]??  
LOOKING TO BE HEARD!!!

TO: THE UNIQUE AND ILLUSTRIOUS  
VISTOR (S) TO THIS SITE

Now is the Necessary Time - more than ever -  
in these days, especially in this REPRESSIVE  
"THOUGHT POLICE" (PC) era - TO BE REMINDED:  
that throughout the ANNALS: HUMAN HIS (HER) -  
Story... PROFOUND "TRUTH" has always COME  
OUT: "THE PRISON":

ST. PAUL  
SIR THOMAS MORE (1478-1535)  
MARTIN LUTHER (1483-1546)  
GALILEO (1564-1642)  
HENRY DAVID THOREAU (1817-1862)  
GANDHI (1869-1948)  
NELSON MANDELA (1918-2013)  
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR (1929-1968)

[LETTERS FROM BIRMINGHAM]

GEORGE JACKSON

[SOLEDAD BROTHERS]

WELCOME TO THE TRUTH FORUM.

#THE TRUTH TELLER

BY: LEON IRBY DATED OCTOBER 05, 2015

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"MAN IS God's MARVELOUS CREATION CROWNED WITH GLORY AND HONOR, AND BECAUSE OF THIS YOU CAN'T QUITE HEM HIM IN. YOU CAN PUT HIM IN. YOU CAN PUT HIM IN ... PRISON, BUT SOMEHOW HIS MIND (IMAGINATION) WILL BREAK OUT THROUGH THE BARS TO SCRATCH ACROSS THE PAGES OF HISTORY."

— DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

BY: LEON IRBY DATED: OCTOBER 05, 2013

A Moment for  
*You*

**Go**  
*easy on  
yourself!*

So what if  
you mess up  
sometimes?

Bloopers  
and bungles,  
missteps and  
slip-ups are a  
part of life.

Perfection isn't  
expected or  
required, so why  
spend time and  
energy striving  
for it? There's  
something more  
important that  
deserves your  
attention: your  
happiness!



*We all cry the same tears  
tears of fright  
tears of sadness  
tears of frustration  
tears of disappointment  
tears of loneliness  
Lands are flooded with our tears  
We need one another's  
kindness, cooperation, trust and respect  
to survive*



*We must talk  
until there are no more words  
We must explain  
until everything is understood  
We must be honest  
until nothing is hidden  
We must listen  
until everything has been said  
We must question  
so that we may know why  
We must be fair  
so that everyone's basic needs are met  
If there is no communication  
there will be no bond  
If there is no bond  
there will be no friendship*

*Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave  
him the name that is above every name, so that  
at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in  
heaven and on earth and under the earth, and  
every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is  
Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

—Philippians 2:9–11

SECRET BURNING LOVE IN PUBLIC EYE

UPDATE: LOVE IS IN THE AIR !!

TAYLOR SWIFT

LIKE OPRAH AND GAIL

TALOR & KARLIE

" UNSTOPPABLE  
INSEPARABLE  
ADORABLE "

— 2015 COVER PHOTO AND STORY VOGUE.COM

WHO ARE THOSE TWO GIRLS IN  
SILHOUETTE ?!?

ROOMMATES & SHINING LOVERS IN SPECTACULAR  
PLAIN SIGHT !!!

XOXO

BY: LEON IRBY DATED: SEPTEMBER 26, 2015

WHO!!! DID SHE REALLY SAY THAT!?!

UPDATE:

TALKING ABOUT SUPERSUPER  
STAR!!!!  
TAYLOR SWIFT

Girls "Boys only want Love when it's Torture  
... Don't say I didn't warn ya  
— BLANK SPACE  
END QUOTE

"I wonder what happened to her growing up  
that she's so obsessed and a bit warped about  
love and relationships? Always a shame to see  
[someone] date a few bad people and come away  
thinking that's ALL people. NO, relationships  
aren't all work and compromise.

IF YOU THINK SO, YOU'RE WITH THE WRONG PERSON."

— Jene, MTV.COM

SOURCE: ELLE AUGUST 2015, P. 40 LETTERS ELLE.COM

Friends,

FLASH... It is Taylor who is the real

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MASTER "PLAYER" [ NOT THE BOYS AND GIRLS ]

!! CAN'T "SHAKE IT OFF" !

RECEIVE HER ADMISSION MESSAGE:

DRESSED LIKE A DREAM ...

DAY DREAM ...

BUT BABY I'M A NIGHTMARE

- END QUOTE

— BLANK SPACE

XOXO!

BY: LEON IRBY

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"WHILE MY GUITAR GENTLY WEEK"

NOT FORGOTTEN IN MY "BLEEDING HEART"

JEAN SEBERG

Lovely extraordinarily Talented American Actress... Breathless and Joan of Arc, to name but two of her great movies.

She was also a 60's Activist and universal "HUMAN[Woman]itarian!!!

She was also a murder victim of J. Edgar Hoover's Nefarious FBI's "DIRTY TRICKS" Tactics !!!!!

The SKY is Your endless Sidered  
Silver Screen

SHINE ON !!

By: LEON IRBY DATED: SEPTEMBER 27, 2015



# DIFFERENT STROKES, FOR DIFFERENT FOLKS - SLV

KIM DAVIS

ROWAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, CLERK

## UPDATE:

ACLU KIM DAVIS KY. ROWAN COUNTY CLERK  
VIOLATE COURT'S ORDER BY ALTERING MARRIAGE  
LICENCE FORM #GMA GoodMorningAmerica.com  
NEWSTICKER ABCNEWS.COM SEPTEMBER 22, 2015  
7:AM. CDT USA

EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH ABC NEWS REPORTER  
PAULA FARIS.. 20/20 SEPTEMBER 22, 2015 TUESDAY 10:35  
P.M. CDT USA...

## WHAT'S LOVE GOT TO DO WITH IT?

TAKE AWAY: The gentle Reporter erroneously  
premiered her queries on some abstract notion  
of how Ms. Davis would or would not treat some  
one she loved. [MATTERS OF THE HEART] !!!

Thus allowing her to too softly tip  
toe around the fundamental constitutional  
question held settled in Obergefell v.  
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Hodges, S.Ct. - (JUNE 26, 2015, which is how does she presume to subvert the U.S. Constitution to her own personal "Religious belief" !!

VIOLATE COURT'S ORDER

ACLU: Anti-gay marriage - Kim Davis may have interfered with Court order by altering Marriage License.. Form violate Constitution. #GMA Goodmorning.com NEWS TICKER - SEPTEMBER 14, 2015 MONDAY, 7: A.M. CDT USA SEPTEMBER 22, 2015, TUESDAY 7: A.M. Id

The US. Government is: We the People - Not her "Church" !!!

KY. CLERK KIM DAVIS, WHO REFUSES TO ISSUE SAME SEX MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES, SWITCHES PARTIES TO BECOME REPUBLICAN... #GMA goodmorning america.com NEWS TICKER ABC NEWS. COM WEEKEND SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26, 2015 7: A.M. CDT USA

Like Alabama (D) Gov. George Wallace, who was standing in the Segregated School Door, she

too must "Yield", IN such matters related to  
"CAESAR'S" OFFICE, without doubt- your cushy  
Clerk "Job"... Must "Yield" to the "WILL"  
of the People" [LAWS OF "MANWOMAN"!!]...

ACCEPT YOUR "FAITH" - humbly accord-  
ingly Resign your Governmental Office!  
Then go Forward with your designed so-  
called "Christian War" ON gay Marriage in  
the "Church"; the Media (e.g. Fox); the  
Courts and Alleys.

STAY WATCHFUL! TO BE CONTINUED...

# I M A G I N E " A L L Y O U N E E D I S L O V E " X O X O ! ! ! !  
- Y O K O / J O H N

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CAN SHE SHAKE IT OFF !!

"DENVER DJ SUES TAYLOR SWIFT"

TAYLOR SWIFT

UPDATE:

Denver DJ David Mueller claims Taylor told his Boss that he inappropriately Touched her during a Photo Session, which got him fired.

Therefore, he sued!

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KEEP WONDERING

9-17-2015

*Badlands*. That's the second-best debut for any female singer's first album in 2015, behind Meghan Trainor's *Title*, which had 195,000 sales its first week.

Luke Bryan's *Kill the Lights*, Taylor Swift's *1989* and Dr. Dre's *Compton* round out the *Billboard* top five, followed by Ed Sheeran's *X* at No. 6.

Country duo Maddie & Tae enter the chart at No. 7 with their first full-length set, *Start Here*, and alternative duo Beach House's *Depression Cherry* debuts at No. 8. Singer-songwriter Ben Rector's *Brand New* bows at No. 9, and last week's No. 1 album, Disturbed's *Immortalized*, falls to the No. 10 spot.

Justin Bieber's *What Do You Mean?* was easily the week's top single, selling 337,000 downloads, more than 200,000 more than the next best seller, *Can't Feel My Face*

### Five Finger Death Punch + Iron Maiden Debut in Top 5 of Billboard 200 Album Chart

Five Finger Death Punch and Iron Maiden both debuted in the Top 5 of the *Billboard* 200 albums chart. FFDP's *Got Your Six* landed at No. 2, while Iron Maiden's *The Book of Souls* claimed the No. 4 spot.

*Billboard* has a new system in place to determine chart position. In addition to pure album sales, the publication also factors in track equivalent albums and streaming equivalent albums. R&B singer The Weeknd's *Beauty Behind the Madness* scored the No. 1 position in its second week of release with 145,000 total equivalent albums moved. However, Five Finger Death Punch's *Got Your Six* actually sold the most pure albums for the week. Of the 119,000 units tallied in its first week, 114,000 copies of *Got Your Six* were pure album sales. This is FFDP's third consecutive No. 2 album on the *Billboard* 200, as both *Wrong Side of Heaven* albums hit that position in 2013.

Iron Maiden's *The Book of Souls* moved 75,000 equivalent units (74,000 from pure album sales) in its first week here in the U.S. This marks Iron Maiden's second consecutive No. 4 album on the *Billboard* 200, with 2010's *The Final Frontier* also hitting that spot. In the U.K., *The Book of Souls* is No. 1. The album also boasts the best first-week U.S. sales since vocalist Bruce Dickinson and guitarist Adrian Smith returned to the group in 1999.

This was a huge week for rock and metal! Congratulations to both bands for invading the chart.

### Denver DJ sues Taylor Swift

A former Denver radio personality has filed a lawsuit against singer Taylor Swift, saying he lost his job after being accused of inappropriately touching Swift during a photo session.

## TAYLOR SWIFT

The lawsuit was filed Thursday in U.S. District court in Denver by David Mueller.

The lawsuit says Mueller was falsely accused by one of Swift's security team of grabbing the singer's buttocks backstage at the Pepsi Center on June 2, 2013.

It says Mueller was fired two days later from his job at KYGO radio.

The lawsuit says Mueller denies inappropriate contact with Swift and noted that he had met many other celebrities without incident.

A statement from Swift's publicist on Saturday says Mueller's employer was given evidence after the incident and made its own decision on his job status.

### Wrestler 'Superfly' Snuka charged in girlfriend's 1983 death

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP) — Former professional wrestling star Jimmy "Superfly" Snuka was charged Tuesday with third-degree murder and involuntary manslaughter in the death of his mistress more than three decades ago.

Prosecutors in Lehigh County announced the results of a grand jury investigation into the death of Nancy Argentino, 23, of New York.

Snuka, who had been at a World Wrestling Federation taping at the Allentown Fairgrounds, told police shortly after Argentino's death that he had returned to the couple's Whitehall Township hotel room to find her unresponsive in bed. She was pronounced dead at a hospital several hours later.

An autopsy determined she died of traumatic brain injuries and had more than three dozen cuts and bruises, and concluded her injuries were consistent with being hit with a stationary object. At the time, forensic pathologist Isidore Mihalakis wrote that the case should be investigated as a homicide until proven otherwise, according to a grand jury report released Tuesday. But the investigation went cold.

A June 2013 investigation by *The Morning Call* of Allentown raised questions about the case. Lehigh County District Attorney Jim Martin told the paper last year that Argentino's sisters approached him after the story ran, prompting him to give the case another look.

The grand jury's report said Snuka had provided more than a half-dozen shifting accounts of Argentino's injuries, at first telling paramedics he hit her during an argument outside their hotel room and that she struck her head on concrete, then claiming to police she slipped and fell during a bathroom break on their way to the hotel.

The grand jury also said it heard evidence that Snuka beat Argentino in a hotel room in Syracuse, New York, in January 1983 — four

months before her death — and repeatedly assaulted his wife, Sharon, in the fall of 1993.

Snuka, now 72 and living in Waterford Township, N.J., has long maintained his innocence, saying the episode had ruined his life.

"Many terrible things have been written about me hurting Nancy and being responsible for her death, but they are not true," he wrote in his 2012 autobiography. "This has been very hard on me and very hard on my family. To this day, I get nasty notes and threats. It hurts. I never hit Nancy or threatened her."

Argentino's sister, Louise Argentino-Upham, told *The Morning Call* that the charges came as a relief, especially the prospect that her mother, who turns 90 this year, may see justice in the case.

"I think that it's been a long road," Argentino-Upham said. "They did the right thing in face of all the evidence."

Nicknamed "Superfly," the Fiji native was known for diving from the ropes and even the top of steel cages in a career that spanned four decades. He was admitted into the World Wrestling Entertainment Hall of Fame in 1996, according to the organization's website.

"WWE expresses its continued sympathy to the Argentino family for their loss," the organization said in a statement Tuesday. "Ultimately this legal matter will be decided by our judicial system."

Snuka was arraigned Tuesday afternoon and sent to Lehigh County Jail, but he was expected to post a portion of his \$100,000 bail.

Argentino's family won a wrongful death lawsuit against Snuka in 1985.

### Williams stunned in US Open semis by Vinci, Slam bid ends

NEW YORK (AP) — For Serena Williams' first 26 matches this year at major tournaments, no deficit was too daunting, no opponent too troublesome, no victory too far from reach.

She was unbeaten and, seemingly, unbeatable, nearing the first Grand Slam in more than a quarter-century. All Williams needed was two more wins to pull off that rare feat. And yet, against an unseeded and unheralded opponent in the U.S. Open semifinals, she faltered. Her pursuit of history ended, oh so close.

In one of the most significant upsets in the history of tennis, Williams finally found a hole too big to climb out of, losing 2-6, 6-4, 6-4 on Friday at Flushing Meadows to 43rd-ranked Roberta Vinci of Italy.

"I don't want to talk about how disappointing it is for me," Williams said at the start of a

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briefier-than-usual news conference. "If you have any other questions, I'm open for that."

Vinci had never before played in a Grand Slam semifinal; Williams owns 21 major titles. In four previous matchups, Vinci had never taken a set off Williams.

"Every so often," Vinci said, "a miracle happens."

How little faith did even she have? Vinci said she booked a flight home for Saturday, the day of the final.

As Williams quickly left the scene, hopping in a waiting black SUV and taking off, her coach, Patrick Mouratoglou, was explaining to reporters what he called "a bad day, clearly."

He said he could tell before the match that something was off.

"She was very slow. There was no movement with her lower body, so she was in bad positions to be aggressive and play her attacking game," Mouratoglou said. "She couldn't find it today. You don't wake up the same way every day. Some days you feel good, other days you don't feel good. That's life. Usually she finds a way, and today she did not."

The men's final Sunday, in contrast, will be No. 1 Novak Djokovic vs. No. 2 Roger Federer in their record-tying 42nd career matchup.

Pennetta, 33, and Vinci, 32, have known each other since they were kids, growing up in towns about 40 miles (65 kilometers) apart on opposite coasts of Puglia, a region in the southeastern heel of Italy's boot-shaped peninsula. They used to meet in local tournaments in their early teens, then paired up to win a French Open junior doubles in their late teens.

Now, all these years later, they will face each other in a stadium in New York with a Grand Slam trophy on the line.

"We'll be as tight as violin strings, both of us," Vinci said.

She gave a thumb's up while noting in English that "an Italian wins, for sure," then pointed to her chest and whispered in Italian, "Me, let's hope."

An intriguing story line, to be sure, but nothing compared to what Williams was chasing: a perfect Grand Slam season.

After all, not only was she 26-0 at those tournaments this year, but her winning streak at majors was 33 matches, because she won last year's U.S. Open. If she had managed to win a fifth consecutive major title, Williams would have raised her total to 22, equaling Graf for the most in the Open era, which began in 1968, and second-most in history behind Margaret Court's 24.

"I never felt that pressure to win here," Williams insisted. "I said that from the beginning."

Her older sister Venus — who pushed her to three sets in the quarterfinals — was in her guest box, and rapper Drake, a pal, was in Arthur Ashe Stadium, too, Friday.

Williams, who clinched the year-end No. 1 ranking despite the loss, grabbed six games in a row to take the first set and go ahead 1-0 in the second. Suddenly, though, Vinci broke to go up 3-2 in the second. When Vinci served out that set, Williams headed to the sideline, cracked her racket against the ground and flung it behind her chair, drawing a code violation warning from the chair umpire.

Vinci noticed.

"I saw she was nervous," Vinci said, "and that helped me."

As the third set wore on, Williams became more and more demonstrative, leaning forward, shaking her fists and screaming, "Come on!" after four points in a row during one stretch. Vinci showed emotion later, closing a spectacular 18-stroke exchange with a volley winner, then cupping her ear with a hand, before pointing to her chest and waving both arms at the spectators, encouraging them to yell for her, too.

That point ended with Williams on a full sprint, stumbling a bit as her momentum carried her to the sideline, where she bent over, chest heaving.

The crowd responded to it all with a standing ovation.

Williams never was able to get back in front. She let a 2-0 lead in the third set slip away, in part by double-faulting on break point to make it 2-1. Williams double-faulted again a few games later, when Vinci broke for 4-3, a lead she did not relinquish.

"I mean, I made a couple of tight shots, to be honest," Williams acknowledged, "but maybe just about two."

If that's truly all it was, that's all it took.

### **Pennetta wins 1st Grand Slam title at US Open, won't return**

NEW YORK (AP) — After winning her first Grand Slam title at age 33, while seeded 26th, by beating the woman who beat Serena Williams, Flavia Pennetta provided this U.S. Open full of surprises with one last twist.

After meeting her opponent, Roberta Vinci, at the net for a long hug — both from the southern heel of Italy's boot, they were childhood friends, then doubles partners and roommates as teens — Pennetta let Vinci in on a little secret that would soon be shared with the world.

Pennetta decided about a month ago she would be retiring after this season, and this

would be her last appearance at Flushing Meadows.

Talk about going out on top.

In one of the unlikeliest major finals in women's tennis history, Pennetta beat Vinci 7-6 (4), 6-2 in the U.S. Open final at Flushing Meadows on Saturday, then revealed during the trophy ceremony that she is ready to hang up her racket.

"This is how I say goodbye to tennis," Pennetta said as her fiance, tennis player Fabio Fognini, captured the scene with his phone's camera. "I couldn't think to finish in a better way."

Later, Pennetta clarified that she plans to enter two tournaments in China over the next month, and the season-ending WTA Finals in Singapore, if she qualifies. But she definitely won't be back at the U.S. Open.

"Why? Because sometimes it's getting hard for me to compete. ... If you don't fight every week in the same way I did today, it's going to be, like bad. ... And I don't have ... this power anymore, sometimes," Pennetta explained. "I mean, with this — winning today — my life is perfect."

She is the oldest woman in the Open era, which began in 1968, to become a Grand Slam champion for the first time. Vinci, who is 32, would have earned that distinction had she been able to follow her stunning upset of Williams in Friday's semifinals with another victory.

This was the first major final for either participant, and the first time since WTA computer rankings were instituted in 1975 that both U.S. Open women's finalists were ranked outside the top 20 (Vinci is 43rd). Pennetta entered the tournament with only a 17-15 record this season. Vinci was 20-20 in 2015, and 40-43 in majors for her career.

They grew up 40 miles (65 kilometers) apart in coastal towns in Puglia, a region on the heel of Italy's boot-shaped peninsula, and have been facing each other on court for two decades — with the stakes much lower, of course. They shared laughs and tears in the locker room Friday while watching a video of a TV interview they did back in 1999, when they won the French Open junior doubles title as teenagers.

Shocking as the timing of Pennetta's announcement was, the biggest shock of these two weeks — and, indeed, it ranks up there in the history of tennis — was Vinci's win against No. 1 Williams in the semifinals Friday. That stopped Williams' 33-match winning streak in majors and her attempt to become the first player since Steffi Graf in 1988 to win all four Grand Slam tournaments in a single season.

Vinci said the mental and physical exhaustion from that momentous triumph affected her Saturday.

# WISCONSIN STATE PRISON NEWS

## "Each One Teach One"

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### FIRST COME FIRST SERVE MENTORING PROJECT

Forum For Understanding Prisons has started a mentoring project designed for prisoners who are interested in the following:

- 1) Preparing for community college or apprenticeship programs that have reading and math requirements for entry;
- 2) Perfecting math or writing skills;
- 3) Studying a particular subject with someone. There are handout sheets and courses (no credit) we can help you hook up with. Tell us your general subject and we will try to pair you with someone of like mind;
- 4) for those in Seg: study a subject with your neighbor or broaden your vocabulary by quizzing each other.
- 5) Gaining writing experience by partnering with a more experienced writer. Creative writing of all forms will be encouraged, read and shared.
- 6) Writing authors, foundations, and organizations that may mentor more advanced writers and help them get published. This part of the program is wide open- we want to help prisoners get published and need help making contacts. .

Considering that this is a new venture for us, we will be doing this on a trial basis. Its longevity will be determined, upon its success rate. One major hurdle has been to develop tools, the handout sheets and books -to aid students and mentors. Experimenters are needed for this stage first.

Here is the proposal: If you are interested, please submit a 1 page biography about yourself and whether you would like to be mentor or student.. Include a paragraph on what you would like to get out of the program and whether you wish to help us develop it , or come in at a later date when the structure is fixed.

We will pick a group of mentors and they will pick their students. If there are a lot of submissions , most will begin the actual program after we have developed a working structure. The first group will experiment with us: We will supply each mentor with some basic books and handout sheets and these volunteers help form a program that is flexible yet has enough structure so that people can learn. Mentors working with students who want to hone writing and math skills will find themselves working up writing and math assignments using the books supplied and their own knowledge . Students need to be open about what works and what they need. We have some "freeworlders" who are ready to volunteer but some structure needs to be there first.

We hope the ground work can be done in a couple months. There are other aspects of the program that will require prisoners help, like grant writing for the second chance act and other funders . . One of our goals will be to get funding for hiring part time ex-prisoner help to run the program.

The idea of this project came from a prisoner in Pelican Bay. We hope this project will further our FFUP's overall goal: To give voice to prisoners. We have morphed his original idea somewhat to better fit our needs and are targeting all prisoners, not just African Americans, but the idea remains: Here is his introduction to his proposal:

*Since the 1970's, 7 to 10 thousand young African-American males/females have died annually due to gang violence, and the government/law enforcement have only politically/economically exploited this crisis. They would rather build new prisons than schools, incarcerate our young people instead of educating them. As new African politically conscious prisoners we understand this epidemic better than most. This is why it has become imperative for us to rally to the immediate needs of our communities. Enclosed you will find one of many proposals I have developed to mobilized this imprisoned braintrust.*

Send submissions to :FFUP; c/o29631 Wild Rose Drive; Blue River, Wi 53518

All submissions must be postmarked by October 1st, 2009

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## **Wisconsin's Myth of Rehabilitation**

By: Juan Quentin Ward #275760RCI; PO Box 900; Ozaukee-East; Sturtevant, WI 53177

In recent years there has been more than ever calls for longer sentences to combat the growing fear and rise of crime or criminal elements within our neighborhoods and communities. Inspiring, but veteran politicians have used the tougher sentencing scheme as a platform to ignite their political careers and to perpetuate this fear and outcry from everyday citizens which cuts across all ethnic lines, whose lives have been touched directly or indirectly by crime. This has resulted in the overcrowding of jails and prisons all around the state of Wisconsin, with a significance primarily focused on the predominantly larger Black or Hispanic or minority areas.

And while more and more young Black and Brown males are being incarcerated for demonstrating antisocial behaviors such as drug addictions, robberies, homicides, sexual crimes, etc., many of these poor underprivileged and under-represented class of people suffer from some form of mental affliction ranging from severe to mild mental diseases and defects. It is these outcasted members of society who can't afford to hire competent attorneys for representation to defend them or help them get into drug rehabilitation clinics or mental health institutions to combat the poisonous chemicals they have become dependent upon in an attempt to escape the realities of their living condition of impoverished and depressing neighborhoods. The rich rarely serve time in any prison for any kind of crime, as they can buy their way out with hiring a good high profile attorney and receive real justice.

America and Wisconsin have a longstanding history of incarcerating the uneducated, untrained and oftentimes mentally handicapped minority who are ignorant of the laws and intricacies of the criminal justice system, so they are provided quarter defenses if that, by state-paid overworked, burnt out, underpaid State Public Defenders whose main objective is not to fight and mount any kind of real defense but to get the measly few thousand dollars the state is paying him/her and dispose of the case quickly, which oftentimes more than not are settled through plea agreements.

Such a quagmire are realities for minorities who have the unfortunate luck to get caught-up within the American System of Justice. It's also unfortunate that so many has come to believe in the political rhetoric and media propaganda that locking up citizens and warehousing them in these industrialized institutions now called "Correctional Institutions," rather than what they are ("Prisons"), will solve the problem of crime.

This misrepresentation and manipulative power of circumstances and environment are in my belief the root behind thousands of minorities arrested daily within Wisconsin's ghetto's for serious and petty crimes, in an attempt to feed their addictions from drugs to materialism, placing them in processes of legal and judicial entanglement.

I, like so many Blacks in the ghettos of America was also duped into criminal activities for whatever reason, and have served as a conduit for the accumulation of political power and grandstanding by those politicians and aspiring political figures who complain about repeat criminal offenders (primarily blacks), while these hypocrites secretly make millions from the criminal elements of the streets.

What realistic opportunity does an unskilled, undereducated ex-con have for success when you have a governmental body that has passed laws which says companies and corporations doesn't have to hire ex-offenders, Housing and Urban Development can deny you housing, school grants can be denied you simply because you're an felon, and there is no governmental assistance programs to act as a safety net for ex-offenders. The answer, of course is self-evident— he has no options, he must do more crime in order to survive or revoke himself.

Wisconsin like the Country has taken on the title "Correctional Institutions," from the root word [Correct] meaning to remove the errors or fault. This very play of words are design to manipulate and hoodwink the masses of society by the power structure and government into believing prisoners are not just being imprisoned as punishment, but are being rehabilitated.

The reality is that many prisoners rehabilitate themselves and yet, even though many are eligible for parole, in Wisconsin's penal system we remain imprisoned as society is methodically manipulated by politicians and Prison Unions who utilizes pernicious, insidious schemes to exploit and sensationalize with the help of the media those circumstances where an ex-offender gets out and re-offend.

This type of cunning and intellectual racism is superb. America and States like Wisconsin have a proud history of thwarting minority progress; It is not enough that most incarcerated prisoners are disadvantaged, but must be kept in a system of disenfranchisement and slavery for as long as humanly possible. (Continued Page 10)



# SUPER STAR TAYLOR SWIFT PHENOMENON!!

UPDATE:

TAYLOR SWIFT

FRANK SINATRA, AKA "OLE BLUE EYES",  
had his FAMOUS "RAT PACK"

ELVIS, AKA, "THE KING",  
had his "MEMPHIS MOB"

"I'M A NIGHTMARE"

AND TAYLOR, has her "PUSSY CAT"  
GANG!!!!

CHECKOUT: "BAD BLOOD" VIDEO!

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NEW BOOKS TO HUGELY COMMEND TO  
OUR INQUISITIVE COMMUNAL UNIVERSE:

THE BURGLARY  
THE DISCOVERY OF J. EDGAR  
HOOVER'S SECRET FBI  
AUTHOR BETTY MEDGER

MR. Hoover was the First and ONLY FBI Director  
[1934-1972] until his death. A very "SUPER"  
POWERFUL and CONTROVERSIAL figure...

REVOLUTION  
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*"Why in the world are you throwing starfishes into the water?" he asked.*

*"If the starfishes are still on the beach when the tide goes out and the sun rises higher in the sky, they will die," replied the young man as he continued tossing them out to the sea.*

*"That's ridiculous! There are thousands of miles of beach and millions of starfish. You can't really believe that what you are doing could possibly make a difference," the observer countered.*

*The young man took up another starfish, paused thoughtfully and remarked as he tossed it thoughtfully out into the waves,*

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# PRISON NEWS AND POLITICS!!

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" Obama Visits Prison to  
Push Criminal Justice Plan

President Visits Federal Prison as  
he takes steps for overhaul of  
system, with bipartisan support "

— BY: David Jackson  
and Susan Davis  
USA TODAY

For the Rest of the Story CHECK-OUT  
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" THERE BUT FOR THE GRACE OF GOD GO I"  
THANK YOU — MR. PRESIDENT !!!!!!

AMEN.



President Obama talks with correctional officer Ronald Warlick while with Charles Samuels, Bureau of Prisons director, on a tour Thursday of an El Reno Federal Correctional Institution cellblock in El Reno, Okla. PHOTOS BY SAUL LOEB, AFP/GETTY IMAGES

# Obama visits prison to push criminal justice plan

President visits federal prison as he takes steps for overhaul of system, with bipartisan support

**David Jackson  
and Susan Davis**  
USA TODAY

**P**resident Obama became the first president to visit a federal prison Thursday, going behind bars to talk to inmates and law enforcement officials about ways to overhaul the criminal justice system.

As Obama called again for legislation to permit lighter sentences for non-violent drug offenders and other changes, there were more signs from Congress that some of his ideas are gaining bipartisan support.

"We have to consider whether this is the smartest way for us to both control crime and rehabilitate individuals," Obama said after a tour of the El Reno Federal Correctional Institute near Oklahoma City.

After speaking with prison officials and inmates serving time for drug offenses, Obama said he is struck by how many people face

years in prison because they made foolish, youthful mistakes — many of them similar to the kinds of mistakes he and others made as kids.

"There but for the grace of God," he said. "And that is something that we all have to think about."

Citing the overcrowded and violent conditions at too many prisons in the USA, Obama said the situation is "not normal. ... What is normal is young people who make mistakes."

Obama's prison trip — part of a week-long series of events designed to highlight criminal justice issues — came as the top House Republican added himself to the growing list of lawmakers who support new sentencing laws.

"We've got a lot of people in prison, frankly, that really in my view really don't need to be there," said House Speaker John Boehner, R-Ohio.

Proposals are pending in the Republican-run House and Senate.

During his visit to El Reno, the president called for improvements in prison quality, including crackdowns on overcrowding, gang violence and sexual assaults. A crew from the documentary



**"We have to consider whether this is the smartest way for us to both control crime and rehabilitate individuals."**

President Obama

**"There but for the grace of God,"** President Obama said of El Reno Federal Correctional Institution.

program Vice accompanied Obama as he toured the prison.

A bipartisan bill in the Senate is designed to allow less lengthy prison terms for non-violent drug offenders.

In the House, a bipartisan bill is designed to reduce recidivism, emphasize tougher sentences for violent and career offenders and save money.

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# WHO IS THAT LADY

PATTY LA BELLE

Friends:

Did you hear about Madam Patty LaBelle,  
LONG TIME QUEEN DIVA, SINGER, FORMER  
"DANCING WITH THE STARS CONTESTANT" (2015)

## THE HAPPENING

IN her Canada stage show, she  
ORALLY INVITED "White" a PAYING male  
Audience member to "join her up onto"  
her stage...!!

## VERBAL ABUSE AND PUBLIC SHAME

The poor Dude bust his Moves; ap-  
parently he was also about to pull down his  
Pants (Showing out His A---!!!),...

Patty went off - Big Time!!! - on the  
Young dude! Like, you don't do that  
on my stage!!! I am not one of those

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Young Miley (Cyrus) and Rihanna TYPES.

(They're too CLASSY to so demean a HUMAN BEING!) "... get off my stage - You Bitch"!!

Escort him out... She shouted via her mic!!

Thus, Trying too act like the "Young Ones"!

### LEGAL QUESTION

I'm A PARALEGAL LOL!!! So, I'm peddly wondering whether this dude is NOT ENTITLED to a PUBLIC APOLOGY and MONEY DAMAGES?

Madam PATTY WAIVED certain RIGHTS and PRIVILEGES UPON INVITING him onto her: "my stage". And he consequently attained due RIGHTS as her UNCONDITIONAL INVITED "GUEST"!!

By the by, PATTY was not performing like a mature "Lady"!

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now!!

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Friends

' RETHINK that "THOUGHT" !!!

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## Life as a Christian

42. The disciples were devoted to the teachings of the apostles, to fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to prayer.

44. All the believers kept meeting together, and they shared everything with each other. 45 From time to time, they sold their property and other possessions, and distributed the money to anyone who needed it. 46 The believers had a single purpose and went to the temple every day. They were joyful and humble as they ate at each other's homes and shared their food. 47 At the same time, they praised God and had the good will of all the people. . . .

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their medicine and their food;

where every veteran who defends this nation  
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Where every person, no matter their race, their religion, their disability, or their sexual orientation realize the full promise of equality that is our birthright as Americans.

That is the Nation we can build together, and I ask you to join me in this campaign to build a future that works for all of us, and not just the few on top."

— Senator Bernie Sanders, from introduction.

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"Whereas you would pay \$100 in gas, you can use that extra money to buy extra gifts. Or do some extra things," Indiana resident Asia Wilboren added.

AAA also reports airfare wars have led to a 7 percent ticket price drop.

"I think air travel is still the quick and easy way to get where you're going in a relatively short time period, said Brent McHenry, Dane County Regional Airport marketing and communications director.

"The benefit we have this year is because the holiday is in the middle of the week, it spreads out that traffic. Everybody doesn't need to leave tomorrow because it's Christmas Eve," McHenry said. "We have many days to get people to where they need to go. That'll keep the pressure off of people having to get there the very last minute."

The upward travel trend AAA is projecting marks the highest forecast growth rate for the year-end holiday season since 2009 and the highest travel volume for the holiday period on record. The Wisconsin increase is 4 percent overlast year.

### 5-7 people hit by lightning outside Packers vs. Bucs game

WTSP, the CBS affiliate in Tampa, is reporting that between five and seven people were struck by lightning at the Raymond James Stadium as the Bucs versus Packers game ended.

Paramedics treated seven people after the incident happened in parking lot 14 on the north side of the stadium, WTSP reported. All of the victims were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, and an additional four or five people reported that they would go to the hospital on their own, according to the report from WTSP. Tampa Fire Rescue Spokesman Jason Penny told WTSP it doesn't appear that anyone was directly hit by the lightning Sunday afternoon. He said the lightning did kick up rocks and knock a few people down shortly after 4 p.m. There were no other injuries reported. WTSP reported the ages of the patients range from early 20s to a man in his 70s.

### PR Specialist: Sony Cyberattack Threat To All Of Hollywood

Hollywood is on high alert as the Sony cyberattack by North Korea continues to reverberate worldwide.

The Obama administration blamed the North Korean regime to be behind the cyberattack that forced Sony to cancel the Seth Rogen and James Franco comedy "The Interview" and also released embarrassing emails of several Sony executives.

Public relations specialist Ross Johnson, founder of Johnson Public Relations, says that his attack is a threat to all of Hollywood.

"Absolutely. One thing that you see is when you attack a target, you see how much publicity you get when you go after an entertainment giant," Johnson told CBSDC. "This is the mother of all hacks because it specifically involves Hollywood and celebrities."

During his end-of-the-year press conference on Friday, President Barack Obama said that the

U.S. will respond "proportionately" to the cyberattack.

"We will respond proportionately and we'll respond in a place and time and manner that we choose," Obama said.

The president also called it a mistake for Sony to pull "The Interview" from theaters ahead of the Christmas release date.

"We cannot have a society in which some dictator some place can start imposing censorship right in the United States. Because if somebody is able to intimidate folks out of releasing a satirical movie, imagine what they start doing when they see a documentary that they don't like or news reports that they don't like," Obama said. "Or even worse, imagine if producers and distributors and others start engaging in self-censorship because they don't want to offend the sensibilities of somebody whose sensibility needs to be offended. That's not who we are, that's not what America's about."

North Korea has denied hacking the studio, and on Saturday proposed a joint investigation with the U.S., warning of "serious" consequences if Washington said no. The White House sidestepped the idea, said it was confident that North Korea was responsible and urged North Korean government officials to "admit their culpability and compensate Sony for the damages this attack caused."

### US Coalition Destroys IS Targets Near Sinjar

The U.S.-led coalition continued its air assault Monday near Iraq's Mount Sinjar, a day after Kurdish peshmerga fighters broke an Islamic State siege of the area.

The Combined Joint Task Force said the U.S.-led coalition conducted 12 airstrikes against Islamic State militants in Syria on Monday and 10 strikes in Iraq. Three of the airstrikes hit several units of IS fighters and destroyed militant vehicles and buildings.

In Iraq, the strikes hit near the strategic northern Iraqi town of Sinjar, as well as near Asad, Tal Afar, Ramdi, Mosul and Falluja, the Combined Joint Task Force said. They destroyed six units of Islamic State fighters as well as a weapons factory, numerous buildings and several vehicles, it said.

In Syria, the dozen strikes centered around the border town of Kobani as well as Aleppo, Hasaka and Raqqa, destroying various fighting positions, vehicles and a group of fighters, the statement said.

"These engagements were in support of the 7th Iraqi Army, local police and tribal fighters engaged in fighting with ISIL forces in the vicinity of Dulab," the statement said.

On Sunday, Kurdish and Yazidi fighters battled to take the Sinjar back from Islamic State after breaking a months-long siege of the mountain above it. Seizing the town would restore the majority of territory Iraq's Kurds lost in Islamic State's surprise offensive in August.

Kurdish officials said Sunday peshmerga fighters took control of all roads leading to the mountain, but still face pockets of resistance in the town of Sinjar.

**Pope Francis Is Credited With a Crucial Role in U.S.-Cuba Agreement**  
ROME — Pope Francis had quite a 78th birthday. The pontiff began Wednesday with prayers and a birthday celebration with tango dancers near St. Peter's Square. His day ended with a historic diplomatic breakthrough between Cuba and the United States — and the disclosure that the Argentine pope played a key role as broker.

Francis is being credited for helping bridge the divide by first sending letters to President Obama and President Raúl Castro of Cuba, and then having the Vatican host a diplomatic meeting between the two sides in October. "The Holy Father wishes to express his warm congratulations for the historic decision," Francis said in a statement issued Wednesday night by the Vatican.

Vatican spokesmen declined to provide any details about Francis's letters, other than that he encouraged the two sides to resolve "humanitarian questions"; resolve the release of political prisoners, including an American held by Cuba, Alan P. Gross; and "initiate a new phase in relations."

The Vatican's most senior official after the pope, Cardinal Pietro Parolin, the secretary of state, moderated the October meeting after the two countries sought out the Vatican as a trusted broker near the conclusion of their negotiations.

For Francis, the breakthrough on Wednesday burnished his efforts to reposition the Vatican as a broker in global diplomacy. He has already waded into Middle East protests, hosting a prayer summit meeting between the Israeli and Palestinian presidents that bore few tangible results. Soon afterward, Israel began its military assault against Hamas, the Palestinian militant group, in Gaza.

But Francis has quickly become one of the world's leading figures, and his role in the United States-Cuba breakthrough undoubtedly is tied to his status as the first Latin American pope of the Roman Catholic Church.

"He knows the Cuban situation by heart," said Gianni La Bella, a professor of contemporary history and an expert in Latin American Catholicism, as well as a member of the Community of Sant'Egidio, a liberal Catholic group active in international affairs. "He visited when he was a cardinal and has a strong relationship with the archbishop of Havana, who is obviously a strategic player in this."

In April, the Vatican and Cuba celebrated 79 years of diplomatic relations as they jointly staged a photography exhibition at a church in Rome. Although the Vatican has had problems with Havana, it steadfastly opposes the American embargo and has kept diplomatic lines open.

Fidel Castro visited the Vatican in 1996 and met with Pope John Paul II. Two years later, John Paul visited Cuba, where he criticized the embargo as causing hardship for ordinary people and called for it to be rescinded. His successor, Pope Benedict XVI, also visited Cuba, in 2012.

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"I was in Cuba for almost two years, and I understand what this news means to the island," said Msgr. Angelo Becciu, once the Vatican's ambassador to Cuba. "It opens new scenarios and gives great hope to all Cuban people. The cease of the embargo will encourage and revitalize the island's perspectives, as well as its economy." After he became pope in 2013, Francis was expected to revitalize the church in the Southern Hemisphere. But his background has also helped the Vatican reposition itself as an independent actor in diplomacy, less tethered to European or American worldviews than in the past.

Francis's appointment of Cardinal Parolin as secretary of state was also significant. Long considered one of the Vatican's most talented diplomats, Cardinal Parolin served as apostolic nuncio in Venezuela, one of Cuba's closest allies. From that perch, Cardinal Parolin gained a sophisticated understanding of regional dynamics and the Cuban predicament, Professor La Bella said.

"The Vatican's knowledge of the Latin American situation is at a very high level, and very direct," he said.

Monsignor Becciu, currently a member of the State Secretariat in the Vatican, added that Wednesday's announcement, on Francis's birthday, was certainly a "beautiful present for the Holy Father."

**Family lost in Australian outback after taking wrong turn**

A boy of five and his seven-year-old brother are recovering in hospital after surviving with their father for 10 days in a remote Australian national park before being discovered by a farmer.

The family had little food, no mobile phone reception and endured temperatures of up to 38 degrees after Steven Van Lonkhuyzen took a wrong turn during a road trip and his vehicle became bogged down in mud.

They were rescued after farmer Tom Wagner searched for them on his four-wheel farm motorbike and found them after several hours in the Expedition National Park, north west of Brisbane.

"They were pretty hungry by the time I got to them and pretty happy to see me," Mr Wagner said.

Acting superintendent Mick Bianchi of Queensland Police said Mr Van Lonkhuyzen planned to drive from his home in Brisbane to Cairns using an inland route, but "quite simply, he took a wrong turn".

He said the boys were a little emaciated and dehydrated after their ordeal.

Mr Bianchi said the family had limited provisions but luckily it was stormy at times and they were able to collect rainwater in a plastic container.

Mr Van Lonkhuyzen tried to attract attention by laying out high-visibility items and lighting fires and Mr Bianchi said he made the right choice by staying with his vehicle.

"They were very trying conditions and it would have tested the family's relationship," he said.

He said Mr Van Lonkhuyzen attempted to establish routines with his children and keep them occupied.

The national park is not usually visited at this time of year because of the extreme weather conditions, Mr Bianchi said.

#### **Japan faces specter of a butter-less Christmas**

TOKYO — Yes, Virginia, there is a butter shortage.

Supermarkets in Japan have been rationing butter since spring because of a shortfall in raw milk production. Now, there's concern there won't be enough for the crucial holiday baking season.

Elaborate and artful "Christmas cakes" are a cherished — if somewhat unlikely — staple of Japan's year-end holidays. The fancy confections — usually a variation of sponge cake covered with vanilla icing, whipped cream and strawberries — are sold from neighborhood convenience stores to the swankiest department stores.

The cakes can sell for as much as 5,000 yen (about \$43) each and are often exchanged as gifts.

Only 2% of Japan's population is Christian according to the CIA World Factbook, but many celebrate Christmas in a secular way.

"Japan has embraced many Western holidays, but none with as much enthusiasm as Christmas," says Jeff Kingston, director of Asian Studies at Temple University's Tokyo campus. "It's no surprise that a butter shortage sends a shudder down the spines of homemakers, bakers and restaurants — they're worried they won't have enough for all those butter-heavy recipes."

Fully aware of the stakes, the government set up an inter-agency task force earlier this year and authorized two emergency shipments of imported butter, totaling 10,000 tons. Most of that butter is expected to be on supermarket shelves or available to commercial bakeries by this week — just in time for the holidays — according to the Ministry of Agriculture, Forests and Fisheries.

However, shelves at many locations remained empty last week, and even if stores do get stocked in time for the holidays, it remains to be seen whether heavy import fees are passed along to consumers.

At the same time, Japan's four major dairy suppliers said this month they would boost butter production by 30% after officials exhorted them to meet their "social responsibility."

The butter shortage stemmed from a fall in raw milk production of about 30% this year compared to 2013 after abnormally hot weather caused dairy cows to give less milk. In addition, the number of dairy farmers and cows is on the decline. With Japan's population aging, dairy farming households in Japan have dropped from 82,000 in 1985 to 19,000 this year, according to the ministry. The number of dairy cows dropped from 2.1 million to 1.4 million during the same period. Still, critics blame bureaucratic missteps for the shortages.

Butter and other dairy products are heavily regulated, as are most farm products in Japan. The government sets prices and production quotas. Dairy farmers can sell only to co-ops or approved agencies, and have little or no control over the finished product. Imports are kept at bay with tariffs of almost 30% and additional import fees of about \$3.80 a pound. Faced with a glut of raw milk in 2006, regulators began reducing dairy herds. A little too much, as it turns out. When production fell below targets in subsequent years, butter was the first thing to get squeezed. Periodic shortages of butter have occurred since 2008, but nothing to compare to this year, when many supermarkets went days without butter, and customers were limited to one package each when available.

"For the Japanese, butter is not a basic foodstuff, it's a luxury product. They see it as something they can live without — except when it comes to Christmas cake," says Paul Hansen, an assistant professor of anthropology at Tsukuba University, near Tokyo.

Under current regulations, Japanese farmers have little incentive to expand, and shortages are likely to recur, says dairy farmer Yoshihara Yuasa.

"There are many reasons for the shortage of butter, but the main reason is simply the price that the government sets for our milk," Yuasa said. "We have no incentive to produce more and we have no right to choose where to sell it, even if we did."

Does that mean Japanese will have to give up on Christmas cakes?

Probably not, said Makiko Itoh, a food critic and blogger who splits her time between Japan and the south of France.

"Japanese people just love fancy cakes and pastries," she said. "And they are willing to pay a lot for them, too."

#### **Spain: Princess Cristina going on trial for fraud**

MADRID (AP) — A Spanish judge on Monday ordered the king's sister, Princess Cristina, to be tried along with her husband on charges of tax fraud — making her the first member of the country's royal family to face charges in court since the royalty was restored in 1975.

In issuing the indictment, Judge Jose Castro went against a prosecutor's Dec. 9 recommendation that Cristina should be fined and only her husband, Olympic handball medalist turned businessman Inaki Urdangarin, should be tried.

He set bail for her at 2.7 million euros (\$3.3 million) and 15 million euros for her husband. If convicted, the 49-year-old Cristina could face up to four years in prison.

Suspected abuse of company funds to cover the couple's expenses at their Barcelona home, salsa dancing classes and stays at luxury hotels is among evidence Castro has compiled about Aizoon, a real estate and consulting firm Cristina co-owned with her husband.

The legal troubles of King Felipe VI's sister during a four-year probe seriously damaged the Spanish monarchy's image and were seen as extreme examples of royal excess as the

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Take one a day...  
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to the number of  
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a day can hold!

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## POSITIVE THOUGHTS

The great thing about getting older is that  
you don't lose all the other ages you've been.

*-Madeleine L'Engle*

I always think that the best way to know  
God is to love many things.

*-Eleanor Powell*

When Jesus comes, the shadows depart.

*-Unknown, inscription  
on a Scottish castle*

Do not be afraid of tomorrow, for God is  
already there.

*-Unknown*

Fear can keep us up all night long, but faith  
makes one fine pillow.

*-Philip Gulley*

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*-Unknown*



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L X B U A D E C I O J E R I W W  
T S I R H C C T U O Y H T I W D  
D O G T T W W J O N O S E H T Q

FOR THE  
TRUTH'S sake  
WHICH  
DWELLETH  
IN US,  
and SHALL

BE WITH  
us FOREVER.  
GRACE be  
WITH YOU  
you, MERCY  
AND PEACE,

from GOD  
THE FATHER,  
and from  
THE LORD  
JESUS  
CHRIST,  
THE SON  
OF THE  
FATHER, IN  
TRUTH AND  
LOVE. I  
REJOICED  
GREATLY  
THAT I  
FOUND of  
thy CHILDREN  
WALKING  
IN TRUTH,  
AS WE  
HAVE  
RECEIVED  
a COMMAND-  
MENT  
FROM THE  
Father.

# THE SKY IS FALLING AT #FN'S

WHAT'S NEW!!

Friends,

Did You See Fox NEWS SUNDAY.COM,  
ON SEPTEMBER 06, 2015, PANEL Brit Hume;  
Carl Rove, Host Chris Wallace, and the  
other usual President Obama Haters.

There customary virulent verbal abuse  
Towards President Obama was beyond the  
Pale.

They are hugely Petrified, because  
Russia President Putin sent a military force  
into Syria to fight Arab (KAMIKAZE) Martyr?

Please ease their ANXIETY with an  
elementary Brief History Reminder of  
how the late al-Qaida leader Osama  
bin Laden arose up to world fame is  
by RUNNING Russia's Army out of  
Afghanistan.



Now Panelist! Pull up "Your small boy pants!!" and set back and watch your TV monitor as history repeats itself!!!

CHECK-OUT: President Barack H. Obama Press Conference

PUTIN ON CBS.COM / 60 MINUTES SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 27, 2015 CHARLIE ROSE INTERVIEW...

"THE ART OF AVOIDING WAR

Why the Scythians always win, and what this means for U.S. strategy on everything from the Islamic state to China... BY ROBERT D. KAPLAN, P. 32  
THE ATLANTIC JUNE 2015, P. 32; THEATLANTIC.COM

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# MUST SEE SCADAL TV

Friends,

Did You See ABC.com/"HOW TO GET AWAY WITH MURDER" last Thursday 9:PM, CDT USA

EMMY WINNER Viola Davis, ON OCTOBER 01, 2015, ON her above HIT show had a Black skin, WHITE SKIN, Same sex, Torrid ... burning hot sex act with Supermodel Actress!!

Ya earned that Emmy Girl!!!

It is wondered how many Fatherless Black children, it'll effectively "TURN OUT"!!!

CHECK-OUT: ROBBIE MYER'S INTERVIEW WITH ABOVE SHOW "CREATOR" SHONDA RHIMES IN ELLE OCTOBER 2015, P. 106 WWW.ELLE.COM/THECREATOR

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Obergefell v. Hodges

— S.Ct. — [JUNE 26, 2015]

KUDOS!!!!

UPDATE:

SHOUT-OUT

TO: STEPHANIE MILLS  
AND FRIENDS...

LAWYERS FOR KY. Clerk Kim Davis claims she  
met with Pope Francis last week to discuss  
her fight against same sex marriage. #GMA  
NEWS Ticker goodmorningsamerica.com SEPTEMBER 30,  
2015, WEDNESDAY 7:AM, CDT USA

Later confirmed by the Vatican; albeit with  
opposing narratives of the meetings!

TAKE AWAY!

Pope Francis Loves everybody!  
Jerry Farewell asserted that he loved  
gays, but hate the sin! DITTO: Rev.  
Rick Warren!

#Z MABINE ALL YOU NEED IS LOVE  
— YOKO & JOHN

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MORE XOXO !!!

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JESUS WEPT!

MASS SLAUGHTER  
USA

Oregon, state community college ... LONE  
GUNMAN murdered 9 people. He murdered  
himself. 23<sup>rd</sup> PSA.

TRUTH WE CAN'T HANDLE!

DENYING the Murders "NAME" May Lead  
Too Mass "GROUP THINK"!! DENIAL of these  
en,se, EVIL MASS MURDERS HAPPENING!!  
SEE President Obama's related speech!

RIP

AMEN!!

#IMAGINE ALL YOU NEED IS LOVE  
— YOKO & JOHN

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PUT A 'LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART !!

# I STAND WITH AHMED

September 16, 2015

BILL MAHER

ASK MR. MAHER WHAT DOES HE THINKS  
OF OCCUPIED PALESTINIANS?

HE ONCE OPINED ON TV THAT THEY ARE  
LESS THAN "HUMAN" AND SHOULD GET NO-  
THING FROM ISRAEL.

XOXO

#IMAGINE A BROTHERHOOD OF MEN (WOMEN)  
— YOKOX JOHN

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