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DUMBING DOWN AMERICA

In our last article (Why Will It Happen) we shared that Satan has “dumbed down America” so that people will be dependent upon their minister or their priest to tell them what God’s Word says about their condition and their future. That is a very dangerous situation when you consider that according to the testimony of Jesus Christ, many ministers and many priests are not one of God’s children (Matthew 7:21-23). If you do not have a copy, you may obtain one from the paper office or on the World Wide Web at bayourouge.net.

A second benefit that Satan gets from people not being able to read or to think for themselves is that they can not discern the events that are going on around them. If Satan can control the news and/or views that those citizens watch or listen to, he can influence them to follow any leader that he, Satan, presents to them. All Satan has to do is control the news and views they receive from television, radio, newspapers, their minister or their priest.

Long ago a wise man said if the citizens of a nation ever learn how to vote themselves benefits from the public dole, that nation will fail. It is working. When we consider the number of corrupt politicians we have in our state legislatures and in the United States Congress we have reason to be concerned. Alas, many of our citizens have learned that the fastest way for them to be able to “belly up to the public swill” is to help elect politicians who will “bring the bacon” back home to their constituents. We recall a conversation with a prominent businessman about a United States Senator who was up for re-election. The businessman admitted that the senator’s voting record showed they voted along national party lines regardless of the wishes of those who elected them. “But look at all the things that senator can bring back to our town” was the businessman’s observation.

If you are not happy with the leadership we have in our churches or in our government, please remember that in America the only way a corrupt leader can be elected is by the majority vote and/or support of their constituents.