

Some notes from David Horowitz's *Big Agenda: President Trump's Plan to Save America* (c. 2017, Humanix Books):

"The quest for power as the first priority, the need to conceal one's true agenda, and the assurance that the rules don't apply to radicals who break them in service to the cause"
- "the core message of Alinsky's teaching." p. 36

Tim Kaine - "Former Christic Institute Marxist" p. 40

"Under the Fourteenth Amendment, all American citizens are guaranteed equal rights under the law. . . . Civil Rights Act, which ended segregation 50 years ago. . . should have put an end to government-imposed racial categories that privileged some groups over others and deprived individuals of their right to equal treatment under the law." p. 50

"Jimmy Carter's attack on the Shah of Iran, an American ally, which led directly to the creation of the first Islamic terrorist state." p. 65

"Rights guaranteed by the US Constitution are not entitlements but *limits* to governmental power. It is these limits that guarantee individual liberty." p. 69

"[T]he checks and balances of the Constitution were designed to prevent a tyranny of the majority and the 'thwart radical schemes to redistribute income, which [Madison in *Federalist #10*] described as 'rage for paper money, for an abolition of debts, for an equal division of property, or for any other improper or wicked project.'"

"[T]hat the Constitution was designed to frustrate their design helps focus progressives on the fact that the Constitution is a barrier to the future they desire. p. 70

"[Clinton] sees [the Constitution] as a political instrument for carrying out the will of a political majority - exactly what the framers were determined to prevent." p.71

"Democrats' emphasis on group identities and group rights and progressives' clamoring for "social justice" will lead inexorably to a collectivist tyranny." p. 93

"If it were true that women are paid 24 cents less on the dollar than men . . . employers would fire their male employees Democrats being practiced liars with statistics and not being willing to correct their falsehoods when confronted with the truth. And they are not fearful of being exposed because of their lock on a supine media network. So their gullible supporters . . ." p. 97

"To say that our universities now engage in systematic miseducation and indoctrination would be an understatement." p. 110

"Hence, in giving instruction upon controversial matters the faculty member is expected to be of a fair and judicial mind, and to set forth justly, without supercession or innuendo, the divergent opinions of other investigators." p.112

“To understand the leftward shift of the Democrat[] Party and the leftward drift in the culture at large, one need look no further than the political subversion of our universities.” p. 112

“This Democrat[] snake oil Both the image and the aura were transparent manipulations to seduce a willing public.” p. 136

“Politics . . . a market in which fictions are currency.” p. 136

“This same globalism expressed in Hillary Clinton’s ‘dream’ of common markets and open borders had underwritten an invasion of illegal immigrants that was driving down” p. 139

“Republican voters frustrated by their leaders; long-running deference to Democrat[] outrages and their willingness to keep their party on the defensive.” p. 140

“Obamacare . . . drive[s] up the costs and diminish[es] the quality of health care, as Republicans have argued. Far more important is that government-controlled health care takes away the freedom of individuals” p. 141

“Onerous taxes and massive government debt are not accounting problems; they are war on the ability of individuals to work for themselves instead of the government and are therefore an attack on individual freedom.” p. 142

“[The movement] must expose [the Democrats] for their hypocrisy. It must hold them accountable for the divisions they sow and the suffering they cause.” p. 142

“The number of African American lives damaged or destroyed by Democrat[] policies alone would exceed the wildest dreams of any Klansman.” p. 143

“By attacking Republicans as racists, Democrats show that they are friends of minorities; by attacking rich taxpayers as selfish, they show that they are friends of the poor. Never mind that minorities and the poor are worse off under their rule. Politically, the strategy works It’s not rocket science; Republicans need to turn the Democrats’ guns around and fight fire with fire.” p. 144

Part III: The Strategy

“[O]ppose[] progressives’ sellout of . . . America’s historical uniqueness. . . . [S]how contempt for a political correctness that denies the virtues of America’s culture, which is founded on individual rights and equality before the law. . . . [O]ppose progressive ‘multiculturalism,’ which seeks to replace this culture with anti-American hierarchies of gender, class, and race.” p. 146

Vouchers “take the power away from bureaucrats.” p. 147

“Let it not be said we shrank from the great calling of our times; to faithfully defend the ‘last best hope’ of freedom that is the United States.” p.163