



"You see the distress that we are in. Come, let us rebuild the walls . . . that we may no longer be a reproach." Nehemiah 2:17

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Dear [REDACTED]

Greetings! Grace and peace be multiplied unto you through the knowledge of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! (II Peter 1:2)

Thank you for taking the time to write us of your concerns regarding the article in the magazine called "Church & State." We are familiar with that article and I will enclose a response written from our Research Department to a letter on the subject of Thomas Jefferson. We believe that our research will stand on its own merit. If you were to look at the documentation in the books David Barton has written, you will note that most of our sources are primary sources. We have revised our books and videos as we have "uncovered" more primary sources.

Our purpose is to re-educate Christians with factual history which will hopefully replace the distorted history that most of us have been fed over the last several decades. Unfortunately what happens is that many people are using authors and publications from more recent years. Obviously to get to the heart of a matter, it behooves one to use as many primary sources from the time period you are dealing with as possible. There are going to be many people who disagree with the research we have done and the position that we take; however, we see no need to defend our position and simply feel that it will stand on its own merit. We are held accountable to God for what is written and produced and sold through our organization. I can assure you that we take that very seriously.

The article did not actually state that David once talked to the summer camp run by people in the Nazi movement. It did make a statement that he had spoken at a conference with Pete Peters. We try to screen very carefully those who are requesting that David come make a presentation. At the time we were contacted by Pete Peters, we had absolutely no idea that he was "part of the Nazi movement." He contacted us for David to speak for Scriptures for America. The title is quite innocuous. In all the conversations that I personally had with Pete Peters, never once was there a hint that they were a part of a Nazi movement. I would also like to point out that simply because David Barton gives a presentation to a group of people does not mean that he endorses all their beliefs. Obviously people can take anything and twist it to their benefit which is what the writer in "Church & State" has done.

I don't know whether the information in this letter helps you or not. I would like to simply say that our integrity is above reproach and we are responsible to God for all that we do. I am sure I don't have to tell you that there are many people who would like to silence the voice of Christians. For too long Christians have sat back in their church pews and disinvolved themselves from the world around them. It is true that we are commanded to be in the world but not of the world. We are also told that we must be salt and light. How can we expect to have good laws and good legislation if we do not take the time to see that good men and women are elected to public office? It begins at home, at the grassroots level. We must see to it that we are found faithful in the tasks before us when Christ returns.

If we can be of additional assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

I am in prayer that our government will once again be upon His shoulders and that we will again become one nation under God.

Sincerely,

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