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Dear Sir:

I am sure you are as sick and disgusted, as many of we Americans are, over the violence in your fine city this week. It is shameful and frightening to realize what the leaders of the civil rights movement are doing to our beautiful country, all under the guise of civil rights, which has ultimately, proven nothing more than civil disobedience. It is time for the decent and law abiding citizens of this country, to have some guts, and let it be known and understood, that we are no longer going to tolerate any more of this nonsense; which tends to stir emotions to the boiling point. I am appalled at the treatment towards you; the Mayor; just a few, short years ago, this would have constituted a major offense, and action would have been taken, accordingly. I truly fear for the safety of our citizens, for this thing is far from over, and if the Raby's, King's and Carmicheals have their way, they won't be satisfied until they have destroyed our country.

It is time for the pseudo-intellectuals and the do-gooders, to wake up to the fact, that they are part of activities, that are not aimed at honorable goals. It is very important to remember, that this land has more successful negros than anywhere else on this earth.

I keep hearing voices chanting; "equality". What does this mean? I was always of the belief that God gives us our lives, and what we do with it, is for us to decide. How does one judge equality, when each of us is an individual, with individual likes and dislikes, with individual abilities, and thank the Good Lord He made life in this manner. How boring and unchallenging if sameness were a way of life. A man has to stand on his merits, and this God bless land, he is allowed to go to any height, but it does take sheer determination and goals. Man, no matter the color of the skin, does not survive by having things handed to him; much to the contrary; those who do the most and get the most out of life; are those who work the hardest. Government cannot "force" individuals to live together, this has to evolve; if it is meant to be; out of the intent of those involved. We are all aware of the fact, that many negros have shown themselves responsible and respectable, but it is the others, that are causing many questions to be asked. These, are the ones, who to my way of thinking, are playing a very dangerous "game", a game that may well prove disastrous to both races, if allowed to continue. The news-media(all forms) have an obligation to print the truth about how many communists are definitely behind the civil rights movement. It has been proven again and again, and I fear, too many people, still are not well informed of this fact. If our nation is not restored to law and order, I, for one, shudder to think of what the immediate future has in store for us. God blessed this nation beyond any other nation in recorded history, and it appears, we have turned our backs on all we had going for us. If this be true, and we continue to follow the present course, He may well turn His wrath upon this nation...then it will be too late to turn back and rectify our mistakes. Everything our forefathers did was in a Godly manner, and nearly everything we do, is directly in opposition, so is it any wonder we are finding more problems than we are equipped to handle!

Surely, I am in no position to suggest how you should run your city, but I can only hope and pray that you and all the leaders of Atlanta, will be tough, and not succumb to the coercion and harassment that is all too familiar with the so-called leaders of civil rights. They are diseased in their thinking, and they come into the communities alien to them, and are content to leave only when, they have the seeds of discontent, well planted. I had hoped by now, that the President would have seen fit; for the good of the country; to call a halt to the marches, riots, sit-ins and all organized attempts to disrupt the natural events, in communities throughout the U.S.A. It is more and more evident to those of us watching closely, what a man will allow, for the sake of vote-getting. Our Pres. could stop what is now becoming a way of life, for the trouble makers, but such is not the case, so it seems to me, and to many, many others, that local officials must take the initiative to protect all the innocent citizens of their towns and cities. We cannot and must not allow any more of civil disobedience, as something the decent and law-abiding people must live in fear about. Please, please do not let the nuts put you into a position of they dictating to you and the other city officials: what has taken place in Chicago, regarding the final outcome from City Hall, has made so many of us sick at heart. I am married to a Realtor, so I feel it is unnecessary to say how I feel about the loss of a very, precious freedom; that of Property Rights. God bless Ev Dirksen, they never tire of trying to make a fool out of his convictions, but I cannot think of another politician, who can come up to his waist!

God is testing this nation in so many ways, that it takes someone much shrewder than I, to keep up with it. The Forces of Evil attack only when they see weakening cracks that they are able to split wide open. I hope and pray, that this Nation of Sheep, will wake up, before it is too late. Good luck and God bless you; I sincerely hope you have seen the last of chaos and confusion.

Sincerely,

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