

~ Letters to the Editor ~

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**Crocodile tears**

My feet are almost back on the ground after a fantastic Trump victory. But as we watch the Liberal world soak their veggie burgers with crocodile tears, I just wanna bring a little calm into their world and maybe a little sanity. To the girl sobbing, swearing, and sinking into the depths of despair, while asking what went wrong.... please grab a tissue, and some Ativan....and listen.

I will tell you what got you here. You've been duped (this means you've been tricked into believing something untrue). Please try to open your 22-year-old mind to the possibility that you have been wrong. Some people have a nefarious agenda to promote, and you have swallowed it all, hook, line, and sinker. So, to clear things up for you... here are some lies you've sadly embraced. 1) There is no real God, so you get to create your own. Your god has no requirements nor consequences...so you can behave as you please. 2) You get to create your own morals....so you don't need any other moral law (making the Ten Commandments totally unnecessary and outdated). 3) There is no real truth, so you can make up your own and pretend it's real. 4) Everyone who doesn't pretend or agree with you is "intolerant" and full of hate speech. 5) Love and sex are the same thing. Marriage and the traditional family are obsolete. 6) Love means acceptance of all behavior (this applies to everyone but you). 7) Jews are all bad and need to be eliminated (from the river to the sea). 8) The government owes you and so does anyone who has more than you. 9) Guns

are all dangerous and will kill at will. 10) Borders are all bad and inhuman. Only good people cross them. 11) Humans can "save the planet" (by eradicating humans) and Greta Thunberg is a climate expert. 12) Biology is just a suggestion. DNA, resident hormones, and appendages mean nothing. 13) You can redefine "baby" as a Reproductive Choice, Product of Conception, Fetal Tissue, or Potential Human. Also..."My body, my choice" means you can pretend your baby doesn't have a body and isn't being destroyed during an abortion. 14) Animals and humans are the same. Eagle eggs deserve protection. Human embryos don't. 15) A racist is someone who does not treat certain races as different and special. Ignoring the differences in skin pigment is racist. 16) There is no such thing as evil.... only mental health issues. 17) Trump is evil.

This is not a complete list, but it gives you some things to ponder. Please find some common sense.

18 Stop fooling yourselves. If you count yourself above average in intelligence, as judged by this world's standards, you had better put this all aside and be a fool rather than let it hold you back from the true wisdom from above. 19 For the wisdom of this world is foolishness to God. As it says in the book of Job, God uses man's own brilliance to trap him; he stumbles over his own "wisdom" and falls. 20 And again, in the book of Psalms, we are told that the Lord knows full well how the human mind reasons and how foolish and futile it is." 1 Corinthians 3:18-20

By Susie Crosby, Prineville, OR.

**Morrow County election results and breakdown of precincts**

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Under Votes: 250  
Total Ballots: 1,130  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, Zone 3**  
Brian Doherty: 897 votes  
Write-ins: 1 vote  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 232  
Total Ballots: 1,130  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 1**  
Duane A. Neiffer: 889  
Write-ins: 3 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 238  
Total Ballots: 1,130  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 2**  
Jim McElligott: 856 votes  
Write-ins: 6 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 268  
Total Ballots: 1,130  
**Boardman Morrow County Commissioner, Position 1**  
Gus Peterson: 420 votes  
Roy Drago Jr. 715  
Write-ins 24  
Over Votes: 1  
Under Votes: 148  
Total Ballots: 1308  
**Morrow County Clerk**  
Bobbi A. Childers: 998 votes  
Write-ins: 14 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 296  
Total Ballots: 1308  
**Morrow County Sheriff**  
John A. Bowles: 937 votes  
Write-ins: 36 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 335  
Total Ballots: 1308  
**Morrow County Treasurer Morrow**  
Jaylene Papineau: 942 votes  
Write-in: 8  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 358  
Total Ballots: 1,308  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, Zone 3**  
Brian Doherty: 912 votes  
Write-ins: 17  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 379

Total Ballots: 1308  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 1**  
Duane A. Neiffer: 936 votes  
Write-ins: 18  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 354  
Total Ballots: 1308  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 2**  
Jim McElligott: 907 votes  
Write-ins: 12  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 389  
Total Ballots: 1308  
**Ione Morrow County Commissioner, Position 1**  
Gus Peterson: 262 votes  
Roy Drago Jr.: 71  
Write-ins: 4  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 29  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Clerk**  
Bobbi A. Childers: 303 votes  
Write-ins: 2 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 61  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Sheriff**  
John A. Bowles: 271 votes  
Write-ins: 4 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 91  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Treasurer Morrow**  
Jaylene Papineau: 257 votes  
Write-in: 4  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 105  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, Zone 3**  
Brian Doherty: 289 votes  
Write-ins: 1  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 76  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 1**  
Duane A. Neiffer: 300 votes  
Write-ins: 2  
Over Votes: 0

Under Votes: 64  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 2**  
Jim McElligott: 283 votes  
Write-ins: 2  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 81  
Total Ballots: 366  
**Irrigon Morrow County Commissioner, Position 1**  
Gus Peterson: 815 votes  
Roy Drago Jr.: 469 votes  
Write-ins: 7 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 225  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Clerk**  
Bobbi A. Childers: 1,181 votes  
Write-ins: 4 votes  
Over Votes: 1  
Under Votes: 330  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Sheriff**  
John A. Bowles: 1,158 votes  
Write-ins: 19 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 339  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Treasurer Morrow**  
Jaylene Papineau: 1102 votes  
Write-in: 4  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 410  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, Zone 3**  
Brian Doherty: 1,109 votes  
Write-ins: 14 votes  
Over Votes: 1  
Under Votes: 392  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 1**  
Duane A. Neiffer: 1,104 votes  
Write-ins: 10 votes  
Over Votes: 1  
Under Votes: 401  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 2**  
Jim McElligott: 1088

votes  
Write-in: 16  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 412  
Total Ballots: 1,516  
**Lexington Morrow County Commissioner, Position 1**  
Gus Peterson: 268 votes  
Roy Drago Jr.: 58 votes  
Write-ins: 1 vote  
Over Votes: 1  
Under Votes: 46  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Clerk**  
Bobbi A. Childers: 294 votes  
Write-ins: 5 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 75  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Sheriff**  
John A. Bowles: 290 votes  
Write-ins: 7 votes  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 77  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Treasurer Morrow**  
Jaylene Papineau: 297 votes  
Write-in: 7  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 70  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, Zone 3**  
Brian Doherty: 289 votes  
Write-ins: 1 vote  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 84  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 1**  
Duane A. Neiffer: 302 votes  
Write-ins: 1 vote  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 71  
Total Ballots: 374  
**Morrow County Soil and Water Conservation, Director, at Large 2**  
Jim McElligott: 276 votes  
Write in: 8  
Over Votes: 0  
Under Votes: 90  
Total Ballots: 374

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