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Impact of Our Youth on the Future

By Abby Willis age 16



From the left: Katherine Lyons, Kathleen Hines, Caroline Payne, and Abby Willis

This summer, Attorney Kirk D. Lyons, and other members staff members at the SLRC have been going from event to event, helping to spread the word of both the SLRC and Sam Davis Youth Camps. I was very privileged to not only attend many of these events with the SLRC as a volunteer, but I also became one of the 18 young southern ladies presented into society during the 2014 National reunion of the SCV in Charleston SC. It was amazing to have been allowed that chance, and it will always remain one of the most unforgettable nights of my life.

It is easy as a young member of the Confederate Community to take for granted the blessings that have been given to us all in our ability to fellowship with the children of our forefathers and honor their memory. Most of us can only guess at the daily travails of our fellow young southerners, ignorant of their heritage.

For the average Southerner - young people have it the worst. Everyday, they go out into the hostile anti-South world, entering a school system that is run by northerners (and Southern liberals) just as Maj. General Patrick R. Cleburne* once said they would be. Because of the skewed way our history books are written these youth are growing up listening to people trample on the memory of the brave men who gave their lives to defend their homes from invasion. To these men their freedom was worth dying for. Yet even with all this heritage of sacrifice young people today are being taught that all the Confederacy stood *only* for slavery and oppression. That is why programs like the

Sam Davis Youth Camp are so important. I have been fortunate enough to attend 4 such camps, and no where else will our youth have such an amazing opportunity to learn about the rightness of the Confederate cause.

We are the leaders of tomorrow. We give the Confederate Community a future. What would it look like in 15-20 years if the young people's only means of learning about our history was from schools alone? What if in the future organizations like the SCV or UDC don't even exist anymore, or are so diminished as to be barely remembered or nothing more than a mere club. That is the very reason why these camps have been started, so that the youth of today may become the leaders that will continue to keep our history alive. So that when asked why the war was fought they will have a better answer than, "slavery".

At these camps Children are expected to live under one rule, that of Robert E. Lee "You will conduct yourselves as young ladies and gen-

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Flag in the Workplace? Nyet Comrade.

By Kirk D. Lyons



The right to display Confederate flags in the Southern workplace was protected for many years because the flag was universally respected by employer and employees alike. It was almost unthinkable to Southerners less than a generation ago that the Confederate flag would not be welcome in the Southern workplace, whether on a lunchbox, personal toolbox or on the bumper of a pickup truck in the company parking lot.

Almost all of that has changed now. Beginning in the early 1990's and continuing today the EEOC and federal courts handed down multi-million dollar anti-discrimination decisions against large employers brought by black employees claiming workplace discrimination. Inevitably the employees cited the private display of the Confederate flag by white employees in the workplace as proof of "discrimination. Corporate America got the message and the Confederate flag has been hunted down in the workplace ever since.

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My 2 Cents

By Maggie Willis

The world we find ourselves in today is upside down. How long will it be before the Preamble looks more like this:

“We the sheeple of the United Global Community, in Order to insure tolerance, dictate Welfare, establish same-ness, Promote Public Safety, and eliminate free thought for the greater good, do abolish the Constitution and the principles of Freedom that it was founded upon.”

We aren't far off as a country and that includes the people of the South. What's happening today is exactly what our Confederate ancestors fought to protect us from. Unfortunately more and more of our people fall prey every day to the brainwashing of the establishment. Sure we have heritage groups like the SLRC, the SCV, flagger groups across the South, HK Edgerton, and a few more here and there; but this simply isn't enough!

We can't sit back and hope that these groups on their own will be enough to stem the tide. We have all got to get involved to change things on a local level. One person can change the course of history, but what if it was more than one person? What if it were every person reading this article for instance, and what if every person that read this article showed someone else this article. Pretty soon we could cause a ripple that could turn into a

huge wave to affect change! We need local officials voted into office that understand what real liberty looks like and won't be afraid or bought off, but rather will stand for what is good and right. We need people elected to school boards that will ensure that our children won't be discriminated against for displaying their heritage. We need Judges elected to office that will uphold the law, not change it, and we need more HK's, more flaggers and more groups like the SLRC to pop up all across the South. I think of the world my children will live in when they themselves become parents and it frightens me.

We seem to be in the last hours before total darkness, but there is still light and where there is light there is also hope. So I challenge you as a Southerner, as an American and as a freedom loving individual; what have you done to affect change lately? What will you do today? By all means, send your donation to help us fight. Encourage others to join in supporting us, but don't let it stop there. Get involved in a very personal way to help derail this fast moving train towards tyranny we find ourselves on.

- Maggie Willis
Deo Vindice

Impact of Our Youth (continued)

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tlemen.” If this rule is followed, then no others should ever be needed. Young people are given the opportunity to meet other children of similar views, they are encouraged to ask questions and practice skills such as oratory, and apologetics. Skills which will help them to defend their ancestor's good name. Without these camp's the future of the confederacy is bleak, but they need help and few other groups have striven harder to get the word out than the Southern Legal Resource Center.

Our Chief Trial Counsel Kirk Lyons, has attended almost every camp since the program began in 2003, offering lectures on true southern etiquette, and many other subjects. During the week he teaches all of the wonderful traditional dances that the campers love so much. Other members of the staff assist as well. My parents Tom and Maggie Willis devote much of their time to the SLRC as well as helping fundraise for the SDYC.

With the amount of school cases cropping up, repetitions of the SLRC's defense of the Hardwick case are needed. It just goes to show how little by little our Constitutional right to free speech is being taken away from us. In many bigoted minds already wearing a confederate flag is akin to wearing a swastika! We at the SLRC wish to help those who are having their First Amendment rights taken away from them, to ensure the rest us are still able to exercise the use of it in the future; and what better way than by helping, teaching and reaching the young people of the South - to provide our community with a

future. The SDYC's goal is to reach as many southern children as they can. Unfortunately this takes (in the words of a fellow camper) “that terrible green stuff”, So many campers rely on scholarships to get there, but the number that is available is simply not enough. Without organizations such as the SLRC and programs like the SDYC how can we ever hope to stand against the overwhelming force of Northern corruption that has seeped into every corner of the South. If there is to be any hope for our once proud nation it is in the godly & educated youth of the South. Help us get there. Support SLRC. Support the Sam Davis Youth Camps. Support both!

“Every man should endeavor to understand the meaning of subjugation before it is too late... It means the history of this heroic struggle will be written by the enemy; that our youth will be trained by Northern school teachers; will learn from Northern school books their version of the war; will be impressed by the influences of history and education to regard our gallant dead as traitors, and our maimed veterans as fit objects for derision... It is said slavery is all we are fighting for, and if we give it up we give up all. Even if this were true, which we deny, slavery is not all our enemies are fighting for. It is merely the pretense to establish sectional superiority and a more centralized form of government, and to deprive us of our rights and liberties.”

- Maj. General Patrick R. Cleburne, CSA, January 1864

Flag in the Workplace? (continued)

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Generally there is no First Amendment protection in the private workplace, only (theoretically) in the government workplace. For an employee discriminated for display of Confederate symbols, the only available protection is the Civil rights Act of 1964. The SLRC worked for years in federal courts across Dixie to establish "Confederate Southern Americans" as a "National Origin" group under the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Even though CSA met every known legal test and precedent for National Origin, the federal courts showed their venom in case after case and in the last case SLRC filed Chief Trial Counsel Lyons was sanctioned for \$12,000 for bring the case.

Even in cases involving Confederate flags in the Government workplace, the courts have been almost uniformly hostile.

The SLRC is now considering a case where a government worker was fired for his SCV association. But in this case the SLRC is considering bringing the case in state court, relying only on the state constitution to hopefully get the case before a state jury in the county where the fired SCV member lives. Support the SLRC so we can make this happen!

Quo Vadis

By Kirk Lyons



Peter's famous line from the 1895 novel on the persecution of early Christians is equally cogent today. Political correctness is almost the state religion, the rule of law means nothing to most of our judiciary (as the Confederate community well knows) and many of our fellow citizens have now internalized that our sacred banner is somehow "wrong," "racist" and "offensive" per se.

What is a Confederate Patriot to do?

First thing is not to give up. As long as "they" are not shooting us down in the streets, there is still plenty we can do. One thing we need to stop doing is handing off case after case to lawyers and expect them to win on their own with little or no input or work from the Confederate community. We have said for years that ALL Confederate cases are "political." That means the system has a vested interest in the outcome. In political cases the standard rules change to make sure the outcome is system friendly. Courts assume there is no down side to ruling against us and plenty of downside to ruling for us. That thinking can only change when the Confederate community gets more involved in Confederate cases. That means our people need to pack the court room at every hearing, that we are outside the court house protesting, that committees of correspondence are keeping up a withering fire of letters to the editor, guest editorials, press releases and letters to politicians, school board members and the media. We need to actively recruit allies (other heritage organizations) and fellow citizens to assist. Lastly a PAC or politically oriented heritage group needs to start work in the local community to remove the politicians that caused the problem in the first place.

The Texas SCV License plate case may go to the Supreme Court of the US. we need to recruit 5-6 other organizations to draft & file friend of the court briefs (Amicus Curiae) to make sure the Court & the State of Texas understand that this is far more than an SCV issue. And AG Greg Abbott needs to be feeling the ire of the Confederate Community and its allies as he runs for governor.

It is getting worse. Now Washington & Lee is spitting on the memory of Robert E. Lee, with the connivance of Lee's lickspittle and worthless Great grandson, by removing sacred Confederate flags from the Lee Chapel. It's a private university - the First amendment does not apply. The law so far does not provide a visible remedy. So what do we do - walk away? Of course not. We must put our collective heads together and come up with a strategy! If two wealthy alumni told W&L that the money pipe stops because of their insult to Lee - the flags would probably already be back in Lee Chapel. No alumni has come forward - these are the degraded times we live in. What is needed is bold eye-catching action. Maybe it's time for some non-violent civil disobedience. Maybe it's time for someone to go to jail for Bobby Lee.

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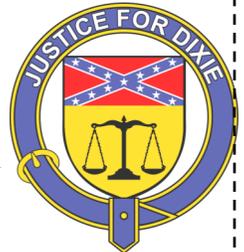
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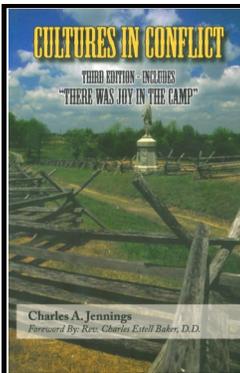
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Cultures in Conflict

By Charles A. Jennings

The Union Desecration Of Southern Churches and Cemeteries
(plus much more)

After nearly 150 years, there still remains the scars of the Union Army's savage policy of "total war" in their invasion of the Christian South. Their aim was the destruction of Southern culture which included the desecration of houses of worship and the resting place of the sacred dead.

Nothing was off limits; arson, rape, murder, thievery, grave-robbing and even physical torture. All this was carried out with the silent approval of the Lincoln Administration and the pleasure of the Northern radicals.

This book is now being sold by the SLRC for \$10 each (plus \$4 shipping) and comes with a free Robert E. Lee Bookmark. Make a note of how many copies you would like to order on the donation form or call us at **828-669-5189** or check our website to learn more.

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