

# The Valley Patriot

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Dear Friends and Fellow Republicans

## Do we have a Speaker?

As most of you now know, Jim Jordan won the overwhelming majority of the GOP Caucus in a secret vote last week. Actually 2 secret votes. The 1<sup>st</sup> vote Jordan won overwhelmingly, and to be on the safe side, the Caucus held a 2<sup>nd</sup> vote, which Jordan won with approximately 152 votes (Jordan won 124 on the 1<sup>st</sup> ballot) . Aka Jim Jordan is the pick of nearly 75% of the Republican Party. T

here have been a few holdouts, however it seems they are starting to dissipate. One of the main opponents to Jordan taking over the Speakership, came out and endorsed Jim Jordan for Speaker. Mike Rogers, a leading moderate Congressman from Alabama, announced his support for Jordan yesterday. Rogers, who is the Chair of the House Armed Services Committee, will be able to bring along much of the moderate faction of the GOP.

Jordan has called for the full House to vote today. We can only pray that this

<https://www.foxnews.com/politics/leading-moderate-who-vowed-oppose-jordan-flips-major-victory-speaker-nominee>

### **Why Don't the Jews Just Let Themselves Be Killed?**

A great article by Brendan O'Neill – showing just how depraved much of Hollywood and many of our political elites are. If a person cannot determine the difference between a terrorist attack and a reasoned response, they can only be a Democrat, or a supporter of terrorists.

<https://www.spiked-online.com/2023/10/16/why-wont-the-jews-just-let-themselves-be-killed/>

### **Death of the GOP is Greatly Exaggerated**

For several years now, certain political elites and so called “experts” have been saying that the GOP is dead, and a new party will need to be found. Mostly made up of moderates and neocons, this group has been saying that what we need is to “work more with a group of Democrats who are radicals, and learn to play nice with them.

Well – this past weekend, the State of Louisiana went from Democrat rule back to GOP rule – and most important, the incoming Governor of Louisiana, is a conservative Republican named Jeff Landry. Louisiana has what they call a “jungle primary” where both GOP and Democrat candidates run together, and if a candidate gets over 50% of the vote, he or she wins. If no one gets 50%, then there is a runoff between the top 2 vote getters. It seldom occurs that someone gets 50% on the 1<sup>st</sup> ballot. However it happened on Saturday.

Interestingly enough, Landry won a landslide not because he compromised – but because he took on the Democrats on issues such as gender theory being taught in schools. Jeff Landry has been taking on the administrative state as the Attorney General of Louisiana. So as you can clearly see, we don't need moderation to take back the country. We need conservatism and conservative policies, and we need leaders who can articulate them in a concise manner.

1<sup>st</sup> Special note – our friends down under in New Zealand threw their leftist government out of office, and replaced it with a coalition of 2 conservative parties. Bully for Old New Zealand.

2<sup>nd</sup> Special note – yesterday I was giving a lecture to the good students at Valley Baptist Church in Edinburg Virginia. Was a blast talking to them about our government, how things work, how they need to be active and involved. These HS students could understand complex issues that the average adult cannot fathom. For those of you who think that this world is going to pot, you need to spend some time with the Government/History students at Valley Baptist, they will change your view on our future.

I remain

your servant

JM



### Upcoming Events:

October 17 – Roanoke Valley Republican Women General Business meeting at Lydia's Italian Kitchen, 1713 Riverview Dr, Salem, VA 24153 at 7:00pm (Meet & Eat will begin at 6 pm).

October 17 – Winchester/Frederick County Lincoln Reagan Dinner. Winchester Country Club. Tickets can be purchased here:  
<https://ticketstripe.com/events/1035815>

October 19 – Bath County GOP Meeting – 4071 Millboro Virginia

October 22 – Senator Suetterlein's Fall Classic – Vinton War Memorial. 6-8 PM.

November – Election Day, and time to send Richmond and local Democrats packing!

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