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I see something happening in our government and to our people. I see our government of freedom and the rights of the people being threaten within by our own government officials and others. These people are turning our government into a communism government. Where one class of people want to tell other people how they must live, according to their standards. This being done through the smoking issue. These people want to ban all smoking and the worst thing about this, is it being done, not on facts or truth, but on allegations. These people within governments and others have offer no proof that any of these claims that have been made are true. Their main and only point are numbers, every claim they have made have always been accompany by numbers. The numbers prove nothing, all numbers do is give an amount. Numbers do not tell you how or why. Isn't this what we need to know, not how many. To give these claims that have been made any ^{credibility}, the government must come forward with evidence, not just people

saying smoke causes all kind of diseases, anyone can say anything, but just their saying it doesn't make it so. What has happen to things being back up, by facts. When you go to a court of law, you have to have facts and prove that these facts are true. What is the difference here.

You will take notice that when ever the Congress holds hearings about the issue of smoke and smoking! That the testimony giving by the people who are against smoking. That their testimony is never about the real issue, its about diseases and sickness. And that most of the people sitting on these committees are bias. There are never any questions about how or why and the questions ask, are not about smoking or smoke, they are always questions about the diseases and sickness that smoking is suppose to cause. Most of these people know nothing about smoke or smoking, all they do is repeat what other people have said. I like to know if they have ever done an investigation of their own to find out the facts and truth. So far these hearings have always been a one way street.

There are two words that can not be disputed that prove these claims to be false.

These two words have the same meaning, physics and substance. Physics is the science of the properties of matter and energy, and of course substance is matter.

Smoke is different, it is not a substance, it has no properties of matter nor energy. Most of us know that there has to be two substance before one can cause an effect on the other. A substance is lasting, you can touch substance, you can examine it, you can experiment with it. Smoke not being a substance, is not subject to any of these things. And this also does away with the claim about nicotine. It doesn't matter what or how much nicotine is put in cigarettes, or anything else, none of this stuff enters into the body it is burned up when the tobacco is ignited, so how can anything that the tobacco has in it cause or effect anything and is burned into ashes.

I think its about time that you people ask or talk about the real issue and present both sides and present the real facts and truth, ask the real question of why and how does smoking cause all these diseases, because unless you do, the truth will never be known. The government could stop all this by coming forward with evidence that will prove

All these allegations that have been made. I have heard
 all these reporters on your show say that they have the
 obligation to bring out the facts and truth to the people.
 And none of them have done any investigation to find
 out if all claims that have been made are back up by
 facts or any kind of evidence, or whether they are
 just allegations. And if they are only allegations, then they
 should have to make that clear too. If they don't then all
 this do is feeding into the lies. I am reading a time
 magazine article that the center for disease for control and
 prevention say smoking kills about 488,000 people a year
 making it the leading cause of preventable death. This
 is nothing but bunk. For God's sake sure 418,000 people
 die each year from one disease or other and people will
 continue to die from one disease or other, whether
 people smoke or not. There is no such thing as preventable
 deaths. All people die at one time or other. This
 is stupidity making statements like these. Banning
 smoking isn't going to stop these things. Let these
 people or make these people prove what they say.
 not just say it. If they have evidence, then the
 people have the right to know how and why. As I
 said before, all they have is numbers, without numbers
 they have nothing.

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