



An Open Letter to Oldsters

‘An open letter to President Donald Trump’ has been making the rounds of Facebook, supposedly from a Mary E. Hixson. If you’e over age 55, I have an open letter to **you**.

First, here are a few excerpts from Mary Hixson’s letter:

“There was a time as a citizen of this country that I had hope, a time that I believed that my vote counted, and a time that I believed we could make a difference...”

“I am a Christian, and I know this offends some people out there but I believe in school prayer, in Jesus Christ as my redeemer, and God as his father and my creator.

“What is going on in our country...is beyond my understanding... Oh, there was joy and hope in my soul when you were elected. Things were going to be different.... I feel as if I am in a sinking ship that is adrift in the middle of a turbulent ocean. America is on the brink of going down. I pray everyday [sic] for her to survive.

“You are MY PRESIDENT and I stand by you. Please...do not (succumb to the oligarchy) and give us... back our country once again.”

Dear Mary,

Our team of 29 volunteers has been working for ten years – over 36,000 hours of due diligence, research and development – on the solution to America’s 150-year-long hijacking by DC organized crime. More times than I can count during that decade, I have asked Americans age 55-80 to join us and take responsibility.

They almost always refuse.

Our generation (I'm 62) is the most self-absorbed, whining, entitled generation in American history. I call them *Irresponsibles* because most older Americans refuse to do the duty of every American. They have a million excuses: poor health or spouse's poor health...they're just squeaking by on retirement or disability and can't lift a finger. But they find time to complain or to post childish cartoons and memes 24/7 on the Internet. They find the energy to attend 'seasoned citizen' events that they enjoy. They find the spirit to go to church and pray as though they want revival, while not doing a damned thing to turn the ship off the rocks!

They have the money to keep their retirement account flush, or to drive across America like spoiled children in their RVs, "because we earned it!". Yes, and they also earned the mess we see all around us, by their abdication of duty.

You know what I notice, Mary? Somehow when it comes to doing the chores in this republic, elderly Americans have a million excuses to go along with their complaints. They insist that they have done their part, and that younger generations should carry the ball. How CAN they, if you never taught them how? Never performed your duty to enforce the Constitution and arrest criminals in government, so liberty could again flow to merit in this republic?

Mary, why are you praying to a president as though he is our savior? Where did you study civics? Have you read the BIG opening words of our highest law? WE THE PEOPLE alone have the authority and duty for this mess that you are whining about. Do you honestly not know enough history to see that presidents can easily do evil to America, but lack the authority to do lasting good?

Sure, I'm sick of these entitled, lazy, communist young kids in the streets. But they have an excuse; the ignorance of youth and the terrible government schools that MY generation always supported, refusing to allow parents to choose for themselves. Now we have idiotic youth...and we're *surprised*?

At least idiotic youth is more understandable than idiotic older generations; entitled, lazy, communist old Americans who do not even deserve the name American. They act and sound and think like old Italians or Mexicans or Russians. They are a far greater embarrassment to me because they have no excuse. Some of them are in their 70s or 80s, yet don't know basic history or civics. They complain about illegal aliens coming here and not knowing what America is founded upon...but neither do they! Demanding free everything, they refuse to see that the money that Congress skimmed from their checks all their lives was spent as soon as it was skimmed. It's gone. Stolen!

Yet they expect two dollars back for every dollar they had stolen from them; plus they demand free prescriptions and other stuff...from an empty well, being refilled every week from the booty stolen from the working generations behind them! But they don't care; in their moral authority, they "only want what I have coming to me". If you still don't get it, oldster, don't complain about the alien economics of those entitled youngsters in the streets. You are as stupid (wantonly ignorant) as they are; only older.

The respect that we are supposed to receive from younger generations is only deserved if we live as elders should live. Cynicism and the bile of a curmudgeon is not wisdom; it is destructive bitterness that only adds insult to injury.

I've given up attempting to rouse older Americans to responsibility, for they think and act more like children than adults. And of course if this describes you, the present pout on your lips and curses in your head only confirm my assertion.

If you're screaming at your phone, tablet or computer about "all the sacrifices" you've made in life...I call bullshit. I've dealt with so many useless, fearful, cynical oldsters that I have more hope for silly kids in pussy hats.

Having said that, TACTICAL CIVICS™ reaches out to those in every generation who will take responsibility. We had hoped to see a far higher percentage of older Americans willing to do their duty; alas, we find it to be the opposite; the only demographic less likely than Millennials to take responsibility and action, is those over 60.

So. Don't laugh or cry about the ignorant young kids on the street making fools of themselves. Our own generation shares the blame, for we should know better.

I pray for repentance to rain down on America; nothing else will melt hard, cynical hearts. If I've offended you, I don't give a frog's quivering thigh. You need to be called out at last, whether you are in the investor class or the Social Security class. Only the LORD can open your heart to duty — and I pray that He will.

But if you resist my admonition, at least stop embarrassing yourself, oldster. The demands and tantrums of “those kids today!” are not nearly as pathetic as yours.

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