

# ELECTION 2024

## WHY I THREW AWAY MY VOTE



### Two Party Duopoly

Thesis: In a two-party system rapidly approaching the realms of futility and absurdity, throwing away my vote feels like the sanest choice.

First, let's break down our two parties, shall we? On the Republican ticket, we have Donald Trump and J.D. Vance as the victors. Kudos to them! We'll circle back on that later. Notably, there's been no coup-style uproar this time—no echo of the 2020 chaos: no lawsuits alleging fraud, no “stolen election” tweets, no calls for a Capitol speech to rally the masses while votes are certified. No theatrics in the courts or accusations about mail-in ballots. Interesting!

Then, there's the Democratic Party,



### The Dirty Dems Lose By Refusing to Learn

which has skipped genuine primaries in the last three elections and insists on clinging to outdated, psychologically engineered talking points, hoping middle-of-the-road Americans won't notice. This negligence has cost them two elections to Donald Trump. For all their claims that Trump is an existential threat, they seem less interested in preventing his re-election than in simply

installing their pre-selected candidate in the White House. This time, they ran someone who didn't win a single vote the last time she tried. They snub collaboration offers from figures like Elon Musk and Joe Rogan and dismiss the advice of Democratic staples like the Kennedys, repeating the very arrogance that cost them in 2016. Apparently, they believe a hand-picked candidate can simply waltz in, secure.



### **LACKING ACADEMIC RIGOR**

Liberalism and democracy thrive on academic rigor, so it's baffling that Democrats ignore this entirely, trying instead to bend the frame to their narrative and overlook voices and ideas outside the establishment. It's no wonder that Joe Rogan's podcast outpaces traditional news in viewership; establishment media has traded integrity for predictability. As someone who would love to root for the Democrats, they truly make it impossible.

Speaking of impossible to root for, we have the Republican ticket. Here comes Donald Trump: Mr. Temper Tantrum, Storming-the-Capitol Sore Loser, and Bad Historic Look for America, alongside his VP pick, J.D. Vance, known for having an Ivy League author ghostwrite his so-called "Hillbilly Memoir."

And yes, I use the phrase "root for" here intentionally—their whole strategy is to frame politics as some kind of spectator sport, deploying entertainment tactics straight from the world of professional wrestling. As a citizen, I find this style patronizing and disturbing.

When politics devolves into fandom, public discourse becomes more vulnerable to misinformation and disinformation, by design. This, too, is intentional. Given that this is Trump's final campaign, the stakes are even higher. If I might coin a term here, we could be witnessing the rise of neo-fasc rather than neocon. Let's see if it sticks. We're on dangerous ground, teetering between cult of personality and eerie historical echo. Look up the Madison Square Garden rally if you need a parallel.



### **THE EYES OF HISTORY ARE BACK ON THE DONALD**

Spin zone aside, Trump's presidency saw genuine military lockdowns, nationwide riots, civil unrest, and the infamous Capitol storming—a brazen, violent attempt to disrupt our democratic process that shattered our streak of peaceful power transitions. These aren't blips on the radar; these are flashing red lights. That said, Trump's campaign has, ironically, been surprisingly strategic this round, courting influential, culturally relevant figures. The rhetoric has dialed down, and some policies actually sound reasonable. He could—could—use this opportunity to do something positive, but I'm skeptical. I'd love to see a more tempered approach, something presidential. Show me, Donnie. I'm not convinced, and I'm far from impressed by beating yet another lackluster candidate who never should have been on the ballot.

*Pictured, our president!*



God Bless America!





### ***LAZY WORK, BAD RESULTS***

This lack of trust can be weaponized by foreign entities seeking to weaken a nation from within. When citizens lose faith in the protection of their rights and the integrity of their institutions, it creates a fertile ground for external manipulation and internal strife. This not only undermines public trust in law enforcement but also sets a dangerous precedent for the abuse of power. When law enforcement agencies prioritize convenience over constitutional rights, it erodes the foundational principles of justice and accountability itself. The Pegasus saga serves as a stark warning about the dangers of neglecting constitutional safeguards in the name of security. It is a call to action for both policymakers and the public to demand accountability and robust measures to counter these emerging threats.

The misuse of surveillance technology poses significant national security risks. As demonstrated by the connection between Pegasus and the fake news app allegedly tied to Chinese interests, vulnerabilities created by overreliance on such technologies can be exploited by adversaries.

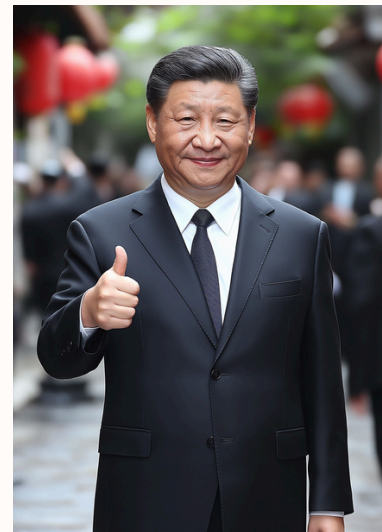
These weaknesses can be leveraged to spread disinformation, influence public opinion, and disrupt democratic processes. The erosion of trust in law enforcement and governmental institutions, driven by the misuse of surveillance technology, can destabilize society.

The deployment of Pegasus spyware and its subsequent controversies underscore the critical importance of balancing technological capabilities with constitutional protections. It is imperative for law enforcement and government agencies to adhere to the principles enshrined in the Bill of Rights, ensuring that security measures do not come at the expense of civil liberties. As the next election approaches, addressing these issues is essential to safeguarding democratic processes and maintaining public trust in the institutions designed to protect them. The intertwining of sophisticated spyware like Pegasus and the spread of fake news apps linked to foreign interests highlights a critical juncture for national security and privacy. As the next election approaches, addressing these challenges is imperative to safeguard democratic processes and ensure the protection of individual rights.

### ***THANKS FOR THE FAKE NEWS APP BACK DOOR!***

Foreign governments, well aware of the capabilities of Pegasus, would naturally view its use by the FBI or any other agency as an act of cyber aggression against its own citizens. The ability to infiltrate smartphones and gather comprehensive data covertly is not just a security measure but a potential offensive weapon. What's to stop a foreign power from doing so if the ones who are supposed to protect us from that are already doing it too. And why not, just slip it onto an app that's already full of AI generated fake news. The election is coming up soon, and it might be nice to have a backdoor to everyone's phone. Thanks for that!

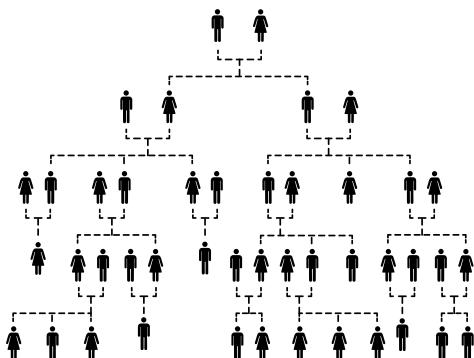
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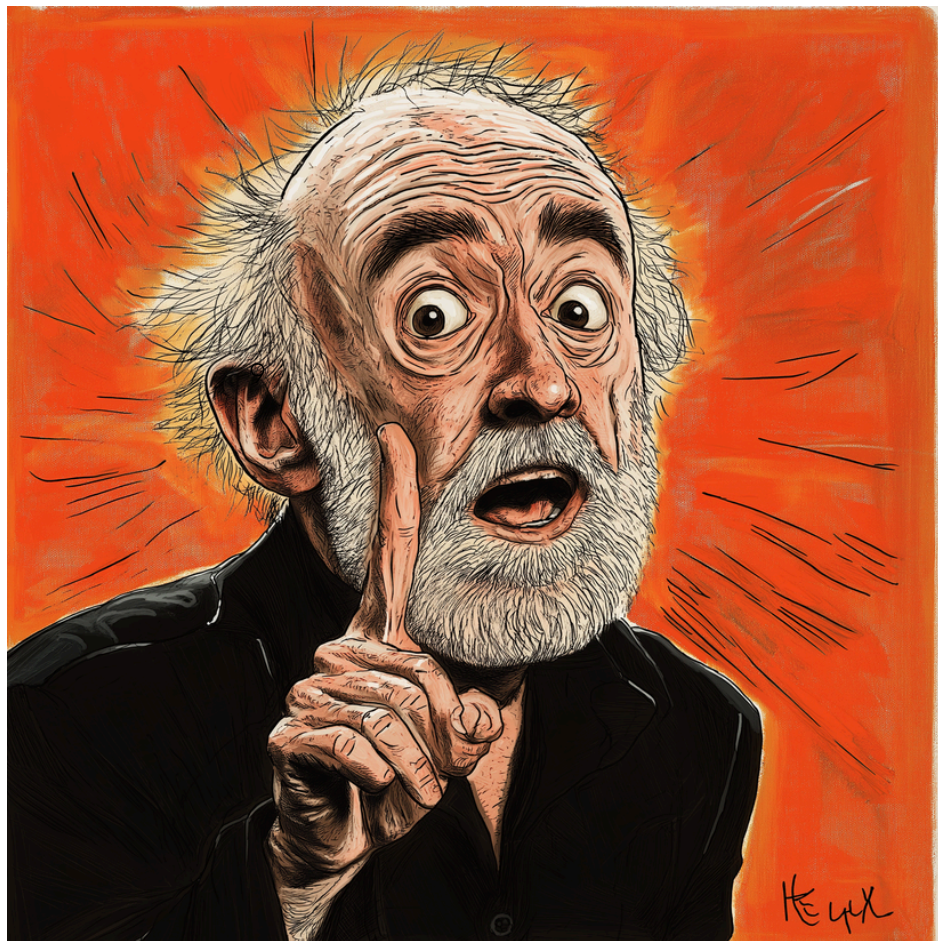
# NEPOTISM CULT!

## IC OVERLY RELIANT ON FAMILY TIES



### Family Dynasties

Alright, let's bring it home and talk about the nepotism-based cult that's turned our security, intelligence, and police agencies into their own private clubhouse. These aren't just workplaces—they're dynasties, where positions of power are handed down like family heirlooms. It's a cozy little cult where merit takes a backseat to connections, and where decision-making is more about keeping the in-crowd happy than protecting the public. This nepotism-fueled culture, you've got a bunch of people more concerned with maintaining their privileged positions than with doing their jobs effectively. They're surrounded by their cronies, and creating an echo chamber of incompetence.



### George Carlin's 'Big Club' Fails the Country

It's no wonder we end up with debacles like Pegasus being misused and fake news apps siphoning data to foreign governments. This cult of nepotism doesn't just breed laziness—it breeds arrogance. These folks are so insulated by their network of connections that they're blind to the consequences of their actions. They think they're untouchable, and in many ways, they are.

When you're part of the in-crowd, accountability is just a buzzword. This nepotism-based cult within our security and intelligence agencies is a national security disaster waiting to happen—and with Pegasus, it already has. It's high time we dismantled this cozy network of favoritism. Because when the stakes are this high, we can't afford to have the wrong people in charge.