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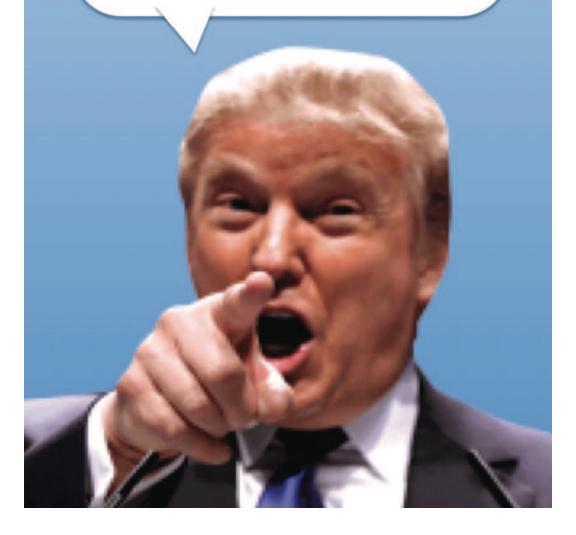
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for Avalt Thom

"Without spiritual vision, there is no point in resisting aggression. If the purpose of government is merely to regulate society and distribute the production of that society, then we might as well accept the embrace of a totalitarian society."

- Senator Jesse Helms, January 27, 1997

Donald Trump, I want to be totally clear, okay? and I mean every letter, every glyph I put here, I am convinced you are greatening us with tears of Joy at the immigrants' departure and greatening us with the wealth of wall we will be repaid perhaps in a complicated fashion by Mexico to build. It appears you are suggesting that a tariff of 20% on Mexican goods (such as produce) will suffice. Donald Trump, you studied Economics at the Wharton School at UPenn. You have to know what's happening here. It's a line that will move down (as curves do) to meet the market because

Americans like to eat Donald Trump. I bought six avocados

two days ago because they were 99 cents apiece.

During the campaign, avocado prices were up
to 2 bucks a pop here. What are your holdings

in domestic agriculture, Donald Trump? What are your

foreign investments? I was going to write about five minutes ago how I had to get up from my bed to pee and my urethra did that thing where after you cum it sticks together and blasts urine all over the place, so I had to clean up piss off the floor and the rim of the toilet and even my naked feet. Don't you hate it when that happens? I heard you own a reproduction of Renoir's *La Loge*.

Some of my friends are wondering where they
can stay when your troops come, Donald Trump.
But I know you're just about as racist as I am
It's just that you tell it like it is and you love free
speech

for everybody except the nasty sad idiots who don't understand your greatness, and they're all

lucky you restrain yourself in this PC American wasteland

ruled by the corrupt elite liberal media that a true

Statesman like you can manipulate with ease.

My prognostication is that we'll see a similar boom in credit default swaps tied to student debt and you and your friends will get even filthier rich and our economy will recess again but you'll be gone by then and eight years later your only

will be to show up at someone else's inauguration, but your progeny will have the American legacy that your grandfather always wanted because you and Steve Bannon, like a nameless Bush

responsibility

administration

press official before him, are secretly postmodernists

(e.g. sophists, not really that new) who believe

that historical truth is a matter of power and the press

is still trying to paint your image on the cover of

Time

in a modernist hue. Have they never seen Matisse?

You are a phenomenon in space-time, Donald

Trump,

a quantum event with general and relative properties

as much as any of us. Donald Trump, I'm with John
Searle

that social reality is cognitively constructed. I think you have conditions you intend to satisy. DJT, baby,

tell me true: articulate the good upon which the greatness

of America rests, 2500 words or less, Times New Roman

font, double spaced. I advise you not to visit the writing center on campus before you submit this.

Donald Trump, can you see through me yet? Have I made

myself invisible? It must be my white middle class is showing. Honestly, my one black cabinet member said I was the blackest white man he knew, although that was in college. We were reading Machiavelli at the time. Nobody reads Machiavelli enough.

Some of us can't sleep here in the flyover states.

I hate anonymous sources, but it's hard to stay agnostic

forever. Do you know what my computer sounds like

when it starts up Donald Trump? I have seen you have not divested your wealth, and there is

no bind trust. You said you would put your children in charge of your assets and that would be enough and although I can't read your taxes, I did read in the Federal Register that the Trading

### Commission

Trump?

will be rolling back Dodd-Frank so that swap trades are secret again. Do you know that my F key sticks? I suspect it's from my ejaculate. It goes all over. I was curious Donald Trump how did you put your children to bed? What was their toilet training experience like? Were they bedwetters Donald

No, seriously. We're they? Were you? Donald Trump,

I fucked a pillow when I was 12. I used to jerk off to the KMart ad mailers that came on Sundays in the bathroom upstairs. Donald Trump, you are my new priest confessor, Donald Trump. The Sheriff from Reince's home county says his jail can't handle a task like the one you're suggesting.

Less than 1% of the fixed and discretionary federal budget is dedicated to foreign aid, but then I would guess that about 25% of you knew that already.

And if you're reading this poem, the figure is higher.

Knowledge changes among demographics. I'd guess most literary publications don't have sophisticated analytics.

Donald Trump, why all these executive orders?

I thought Obama done wrong that way. Donald

Trump,

do the ends justify the means? Anyone smart enough

to see what you're doing must be sufficiently poor or politically neutered to do anything about it.

Donald Trump you are a destroyer of worlds.

Donald Trump Jesus would wash your feet and probably is.

My sex is less enjoyable when I think of you because I cum too soon. Instead of "Oh God"

I incant your name, Donald Trump, I chant it amid the correlative rates of carbon emission and global surface temperature, incidence of erratic weather conditions since the rise of industrialism plus the names of the 216 police officers killed in the line of duty in 1919, DOnald Trump.

Easy as 1-2-3. Donald Trump, is it true that you once grabbed a woman by her pussy?

Don't worry about poetic decorum: this is lockerroom talk

Donald Trump, Sam Harris and Jordan Peterson are acting like Pontius Pilate again. I tried posting some comments to reddit about how their disagreement concerning the independence

and causal powers of factual and moral propositions ignored the fact that it's possible to imagine it's wrong to assume there even is such a distinction but I can't find my posts, Donald Trump. I don't think Harris or Peterson mentioned you once. I

blame

liberal elite media. My friends thought I was joking when I said that Steve Bannon's eyebrows were really post-op detached penises of MTF transgender millipedes. I used to love that song by King Missile. I advise you to build a resort somewhere in

Wisconsin,

where we're open or business, preferably equidistant from the Great Lakes freshwater reserves that

Waukesha

is polluting via the Root River and the pipelines going

through our state and the mines on Native Land up

north.

Donald Trump, everywhere is native land.

Blackhawk

either said you can take reason with you, because it does the carrying, or else he meant to say that only what you could carry but not that which does the carrying

constitutes property. The heretical grounds of paraphrase.

It's silly to think that a person can't own their own body, though, isn't it, Donald Trump?

The press is raising ethical and moral questions about you (no they're not) but I'm curious about your metaphysics and epistemology.

What do you talk about when you talk about what you talk about, Donald Trump? I often think of you, Donald Trump. There is a statue of your naked likeness that bothers my mind.

That your Art of the Deal is seen as a classic ... What's the angle, here? I read Vince McMahon's twitter feed today because he's one of the 41 people you follow. What kind of civic education is this? It is January 27 and you haven't released your taxes. Time to put the emoluments clause to the test. I just masturbated, Donald Trump. It was completely degrading for everyone involved. I thought you should know what the American public is up to. I will be calling my Republican senator and my Democratic senator and Paul Ryan after whom my friend Nick Demske's book is named.

The market can work for itself. Can you hear the agression

in my passive voice? Donald Trump, will history absolve you? I admire that you've never been drunk. I can relate with your story about your brother.

I will call my congressional representative today to request that Congress ask you to be clear about all of your holdings. The American people need to

know

they can trust their president while he delivers
on his promises of lowering unemployment
(actually I don't think you said that, but nobody
Nobody fact-checks poems except the New Yorker)
and providing

a path to citizenship for legal immigrants (was that in

your platorm?) while bolstering true law and order to prosecute criminals of foreign and domestic

origin

regardless of race, creed or color for violent crimes, such as rape, sexual assault, and murder as well as white collar crimes like tax evasion and contract defaults.

A woman in Kenosha said her kids were told to go to the back of the bus so the white students had a place to sit, Donald Trump. Please tell the bus driver who gets paid less than a cashier to stop that.

America, Donald Trump, needs free market solutions.

Donald Trump, America, needs your support.

America, Donald Trump, Donald Trump, America.

Donald J. Trump: Friederich Nietzsche said we should

find the hero inside, but I'm sure you knew that already .

We need a president who will read the 13th

Amendment

like it's written about as much as we need citizens
who can do so, which is why public education is
such

an important issue. Donald Trump, John Locke's

# theory

of civil interests in his Letter Concerning Toleration did say "indolence of body," so it's conceivable that healthcare actually is something the state should regulate.

Donald Trump, are you a Confederalist? Or a

Nationalist

like so many people say? Donald Trump, James

Madison

wrote in Federalist 10 that the distribution of property

constitutes the principle source of factions, which are

themselves both inimical to liberty and yet the product of it.

He says that the regulation of these various and interfering

interests forms the principal task of modern

legislation,

and involves the spirit of party and faction in the necessary

and ordinary operations of the government. I'm paraphrasing.

On the Constitution Society webpage, there's an ad for 19 Rare WOodstock Photos that Will LEave

right next to a big banner for Carroll University that breaks

up Madison's Text. Cultural theorists who read

Adorno

You Speechless

and Horkheimer or Foucault might find something interesting about that. But not me, Donald Trump.

I'm an American pragmatist six-years sober who left his wife for a student in his poetry class. Carthage

College

probably doesn't want me putting that in my poems,

- but I'm interested in getting down to causes and conditions,
- Donald Trump. I'm interested in moving forward together.
- Can you guess why I'm not afraid of the list of left leaning
- members of the liberal professoriate, Donald Trump?
- A.) Because I put myself on the list before the AAUP even asked
- B.) Because I listen to the Cato Institute's podcast every day
- C.) Because there's no business like show business
- D.) Because all of the above means I am speaking your
- language Donald Trump, though I am not sure you speak mine.
- Donald Trump, we never talk any more. I used to

#### write

poems like this to my wife before we were married, but now I write poems like this one to you.

Alternative facts are not necessarily falsehoods.

Tell them, Donald Trump tell them the truth. The truth is

there is no way I could write fast enough, Donald Trump.

Nobody can. And you know it. Forget your taxes, release your college essays, Donald Trump. I want to read

the real you without a ghostwriter getting in the way.

I should be finishing my syllabi now. The semester starts

Monday, Donald Trump. I am one of the intellectual elite

working two jobs, sometimes three, because Scott

#### Walker

is cleaning up education in his state, where he doesn't

hold a college degree. I would tutor Scott Walker for a fee.

I am writing to say I am with you in a strange dream o America

and I know some of you say Donald Trump is not your president,

but I am sure I don't understand what you mean.

Donald Trump is us, and we are Donald Trump.

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