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CRITICAL RACE THEORY IN CALIFORNIA SCHOOLS



BY DENISE SOTO

Many Californians are waking up to the Critical Race Theory curriculum which is infiltrating their public school's. Critical Race Theory is the claim that American institutions, laws, and history are inherently racist. It argues that white people have put up social, economic, and legal barriers between the races in order to maintain their elite status, both economically and politically.

The Black Lives Matter organization ([BlackLivesMatter.com](https://www.blacklivesmatter.com)) with the help of advocacy organizations such as the teachers unions, are pressuring California school districts to adopt race and ethnic studies curriculum which is another term for Critical Race Theory. Sadly, many schools have already embraced this. To start dismantling racism in our society, teachers must be re-educated on how to talk about race in the classroom. The National Equity Project ([NationalEquityProject.org](https://www.nationalequityproject.org)) trains

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educators on how to handle inequity in their schools. Another organization Epoch Education (EpochEducation.com) also trains educators on topics of diversity, equity, inclusion. Here is a bullet point taken from their website, "Presume that racism has contributed to all contemporary manifestations of group advantage and disadvantage".

If you would like to learn about the content being taught in California schools turn to BLM at School (BlackLivesMatteratSchool.com). Upon review of the content you will find the 13 guiding principles of the BLM movement. Here is one of them, "Black Villages: We are committed to disrupting the western prescribed nuclear family structure requirement by supporting each other as extended families and "Villages" that collectively care for one another, and especially "our" children to the degree that mothers, parents and children are comfortable. The National Education Association (neaedjustice.org) has a map of where Black Lives Matter events are happening within California schools. The California Teachers Association (CTA.org) promotes Black Lives Matter ideology along with a chart that lists socially acceptable ways white people reveal "Covert White Supremacy".

We are seeing the effects of Critical Race Theory being played out in American Society, just turn on the news. There you will see protests calling to defund the police and end capitalism, rioters looting and burning down their own communities, groups of radicals taking over entire city blocks and setting up

their own form of government and mobs tearing down statues of American heroes. Such events are a direct result of what the Woke Supremacists have been taught by college professors and supported by the media elite. Imagine if they have our kids for an extra 13 years (K-12). What will our country become? God's work in these last days. God wants us to shift our focus and dependency on a ruler for salvation to Christ alone who is our only savior. It is through studying of the Word of God and having communion with Him that we will receive Holy Spirit revelation in what's to come. Instead of wasting precious hours on the internet watching inundated videos from talking heads, that time would be better spent reading our bibles for truth.

What can we do about it? Here are some action items.

- Call your elected representative to oppose AB 101- High School graduation requirement of one semester of ethnic study.
LegalInfo.Legislature.ca.gov
- Vote in Local Elections for People Who Represent Your Values
- Form Parent Groups Which Represent Your Values
- Bankrupt Public Schools By Pulling Your Kids Out (PublicSchoolExit.com)
- Support California School Choice (CaliforniaSchoolChoice.org)

UPCOMING EVENTS



**Prop 16 and
Critical Race Theory**
Press Conference and
Gathering of Leaders

Elstone Solutions
25871 Atlantic Ocean Dr,
Lake Forest, 92630

Saturday March 20 at 3 pm



As the implementation of Critical Race Theory (CRT) gains spotlight and coverage from national news outlets, the grassroots leaders of the winning "No on 16" come together for a press conference on CRT and a victory recap fighting race based preferences in public schools and public sector hiring. Prop 16 was shot down by California voters in November 2020, 57-43, a solid 14 point victory, driven by strong grassroots.

Please join us on Saturday, March 20, 2021 at 3 pm:
Elstone Solutions
25871 Atlantic Ocean Dr
Lake Forest, CA 92630

Due to COVID compliance, there will be limited attendance,
Please RSVP at this link to secure your spot:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/prop-16-victory-recap-critical-race-theory-tickets-142597700561>

Asian Industry B2B (AIB2B) will host an event featuring leaders in the movement, but would also like to share our wisdom in the team community effort that ultimately stirred passions and inspired spontaneous action in the grassroots.

At current time, these are the confirmed list of speakers for March 20:

Ying Ma, Communications Director of No on Prop 16 Campaign

Betty Tom Chu, Co-Chair of No on Prop 16 Campaign

Wai Wah Chin, President of Chinese American Citizens Alliance Greater New York

Bob Huff, Former State Senate Minority Leader, Key Leader in SCA-5 Fight in 2014

Mei Mei Huff, Community Leader in Chinese Community

Marc Ang, Outreach Director of No on Prop 16 Campaign / Southern California Activist

Tony Guan, Silicon Valley Chinese Association, Northern California Activist

Denise Soto, California School Choice 2022, Homeschooling Advocate

A CHARITABLE FEBRUARY



This month, we organized two essentials giveaways with the help of the Mayors **David Shawver (Stanton)** and **Michael Vo (Fountain Valley)**. We passed out hand sanitizers, masks, and perishable food.

For our second event, we had onsite COVID-19 testing with results that were texted directly to cellphones within a week.

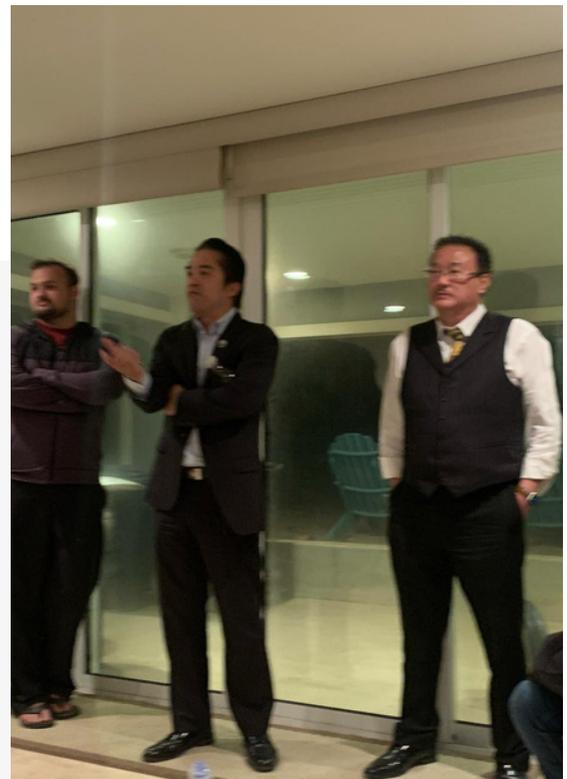
February also marked a return for "Save The Beach" led by board director Pete Amundson in Seal Beach.



A CHARITABLE FEBRUARY



A GREAT BOARD RETREAT



A great board retreat at the beach, as we sat around the bonfire (and retreated indoors when it got too cold) to discuss our board priorities and focus for the new year.

We are excited to keep serving the community through giveaways, support of businesses and partnerships with organizations that will further our mission and cause and who share our values.



UN-MET EXPECTATIONS

BY ANALIA ANDERSON



The recent elections had everyone on the edge of our seats. When November 3rd, 2020 shocked our nation, many conservatives clung onto hope through information sources like prophets, Q Anon, and YouTubers who seemed to know secret military intel and Donald Trump's 11th hour plan to remain president and save our country from communism. When January 6th and 20th continued to disappoint with unanswered prayers, increase in fear, anxiety and depression permeated throughout our land. Though many of these informants are well-intentioned Christians, did these predictions fall in line with bible prophecy? Did we seek God's Word for God's will, or were our prayers more geared towards our will?

When our hopes and dreams don't come to pass, we must reevaluate our motives. "When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures."—James 4:3. Our prayers should not be for our comfort, but for the equipping of the saints and remnants to do

God's work in these last days. God wants us to shift our focus and dependency on a ruler for salvation to Christ alone who is our only savior. It is through studying of the Word of God and having communion with Him that we will receive Holy Spirit revelation in what's to come. Instead of wasting precious hours on the internet watching inundated videos from talking heads, that time would be better spent reading our bibles for truth.

Yes, we want liberty and prosperity, but true blessings and freedom are in Christ alone. No matter how dark and ugly the world gets, God will sustain us and provide our every need to accomplish His will... and that is saving souls.

When we put worldly goals before eternal goals, our labor will be in vain. When we surrender our plans, that's when miracles begin to happen. We will face many trials and persecution, but be rest assured that God's will be done. "Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails."—Proverbs 19:21.

DOING BATTLE GOD'S WAY

BY ANALIA ANDERSON



We are in a time of much division, not just among political parties, but within the same party and in the church. For the most part, we Christian conservatives are fighting for the same cause. The enemy wants to divide us so we're ineffective.

Add social media to the means in which Satan baits people into more strife and no accountability, we end up with those who are supposed to be examples of truth and light act like the devil himself. No doubt it is easy to get triggered and sucked into heated debates that bear no fruit. If anything, arguing and trolling does more damage leaving us fewer friends and a lot of clean up afterward--that is, those who feel convicted anyway. We have to remind ourselves, are we trying to be right or win people over? Is our method effective or alienating? Are we humble enough to apologize for our angry tone or hurtful words? Are we willing to listen to different perspectives and understand where people are coming from and get all the facts before making assumptions and accusations?

Can we agree to disagree and remain respectful and kind? Or do curse words and personal attacks come flailing out of our

mouths and our fingertips when people don't think and see things the way we do? Satan wants us to blow our witness to discredit us.

At the end of the day, we can't change the world by the masses, but we can change the world one soul at a time valuing each individual. Listening and affirming others will disarm anyone. Our goal is to get results. We can win people over by seasoning our words with kindness and respect. It may not be overnight, but when we abide in God and do things His way, He is faithful. Pray to know when to speak and when to be silent. **"Through patience a ruler can be persuaded, and a gentle tongue can break a bone."**—Proverbs 25:15. We are not fighting people, but Satan and his minions. Do battle in the spirit realm rebuking the devil and it will result in victory in the natural... ultimately winning the war. God wins in the end, so be on His side! **"For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places."**—Ephesians 6:12.

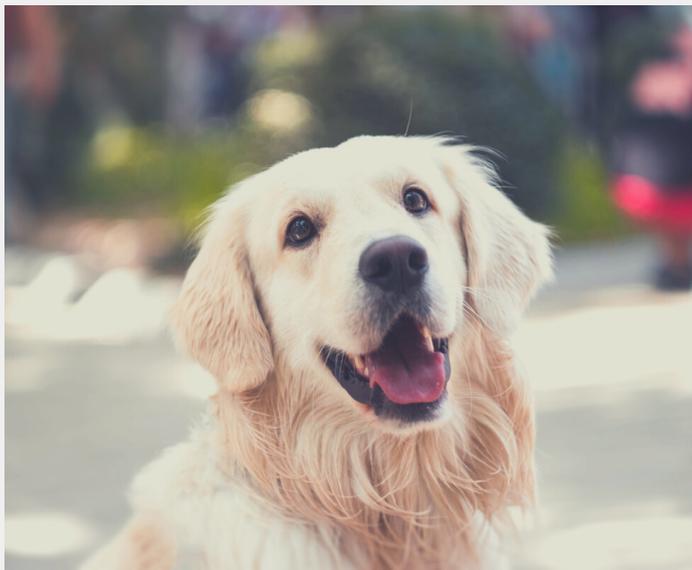
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With countless Southern California residents working and learning from home, now is the perfect time to explore helping to transform the life of an individual who is blind or visually impaired by raising a guide dog puppy with Guide Dogs of America.

Plus, puppy breath makes everything better – even living under the cloud of a pandemic!

“The need for highly trained guide dogs and service dogs hasn’t slowed during the pandemic,” said Stephanie Colman, puppy program coordinator with Guide Dogs of America. “In order to match service dogs with people who need them, we first need dedicated volunteers to help raise these amazing animals.”

A puppy raiser’s job is to provide a loving home, teach basic obedience, proper house manners, and provide ongoing urban socialization to help the puppies learn to be calm and confident in the many situations they will likely find themselves in when working as guide dogs. Often, many applicants are forced to table their interest in raising upon learning their employer would not allow the puppy-in-training to accompany them into the office, and when there wouldn’t otherwise be anyone home to work with the puppy during the day.

Due to COVID, many employers have embraced telework indefinitely, lifting a significant barrier to raising.

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“In many cases, major companies have announced a permanent work-from-home option for employees,” said Colman. “This has opened the door for many, allowing them to participate in the life-changing opportunity to raise a puppy who will go on to become the eyes of a blind or visually impaired person.”

No experience is necessary to raise a guide dog puppy, and much of the program has been altered to adhere to CDC health and safety guidelines. Rather than in-person training classes, raisers now attend two rounds of online, Zoom-based puppy training class to learn how to teach basic behaviors. They also have ongoing access to full “puppy tech support” via Guide Dogs of America’s Canine Development staff. New volunteer raisers are also supported by volunteer area leaders and experienced raisers within their local communities, along with a host of additional webinars and learning opportunities.

Guide Dogs of America covers all medical expenses; puppy raisers pay for food, toys, and flea/tick medication. The puppy raiser’s out-of-pocket expenses are tax-deductible. Raising a puppy can be the ideal project for people from all backgrounds: working professionals, families, empty-nesters, newly retired individuals, homeowners, apartment dwellers, homes with well-mannered resident pets, etc. Students especially benefit from the opportunity to raise, as the experience teaches valuable lessons about community service, animal care and training, and the disability community. In many cases, high school students obtain permission from school administrators to bring the puppy-

in-training to campus once it’s old enough to behave appropriately in an academic environment.

“The most important trait of a successful puppy raiser is the desire to make a profound difference in someone’s life, and an ability to invest the time necessary to properly train a dog,” said Colman. “With the pandemic, we do want to make sure people anticipate successfully committing to the full raising assignment and aren’t looking for a short-term project.”

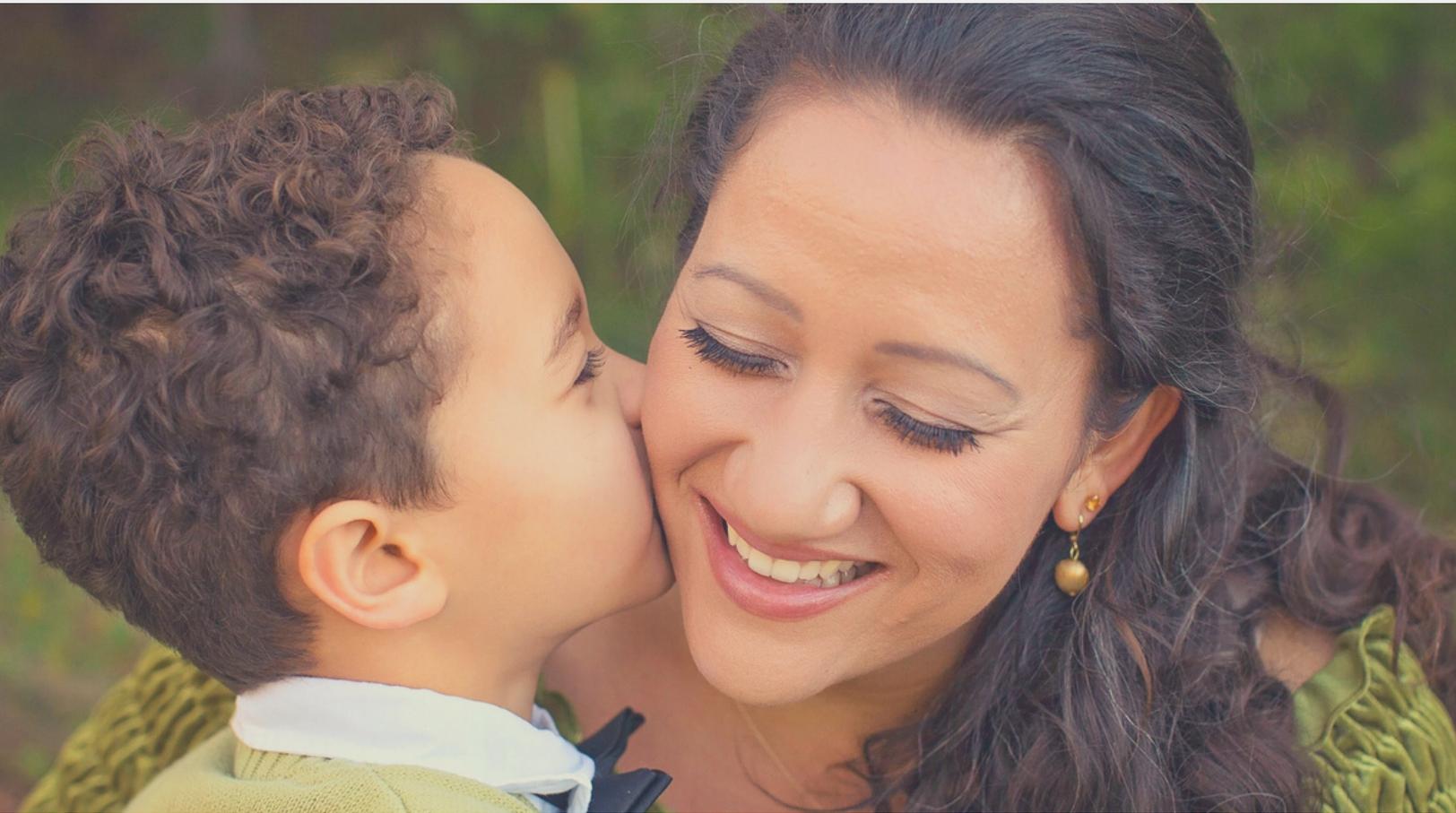
The puppy-raising assignment lasts for approximately 14 months. Puppies are matched with puppy raisers at 8 weeks old, and return to Guide Dogs of America for formal guide dog training at 16-18 months old. Formal guide dog training with the organization’s professional trainers takes about four to six months. Once the dog completes formal training, its ready to be matched with a blind or visually impaired client. If a dog does not successfully complete guide dog training, it will be evaluated for placement in Guide Dogs of America’s service dog program, Tender Loving Canines (TLC). The TLC program trains service dogs for military veterans, individuals on the autism spectrum, and facility dogs, which are matched to a professional handler to serve a variety of vulnerable populations. If the dog is not suitable for any type of service dog work, the puppy raiser has the opportunity to adopt the dog.

To learn more about volunteer puppy raising, visit www.guidedogsofamerica.org or call the Puppy Department at (818) 833-6447.

About Guide Dogs of America | Tender Loving Canines

Guide Dogs of America transforms lives through service dogs by training highly skilled guide dogs, PTSD dogs, autism dogs and facility dogs for clients throughout the United States and Canada. The organization graduates approximately 60 guide dog teams per year and an additional 20 service dog teams. Blind and visually impaired clients spend 21 days living on Guide Dogs of America’s 7.5-acre campus learning how to work with and care for their highly skilled guide dogs. Service dog clients attend a 7-day, in-residence team-training. Dogs are matched to clients at no cost to them.

MOMS IN PRAYER



I cannot begin to count the times that I have thanked God for Moms in Prayer! Looking back, I can see how the Lord has used this powerful prayer ministry not only to bless children, teachers, and schools but also to completely transform my prayer life.

I began Moms in Prayer 22 years ago as my oldest daughter went off to kindergarten.

I was raised in a wonderful Christian home—raised to know the power of prayer—yet nervous to pray out loud in a group setting. Can you believe it? It was true, but being in a Moms in Prayer group changed all of that.

My concern for my children far outweighed my fears and I committed to attend my first Moms in Prayer meeting. As I entered the meeting I worried if my prayers would sound ok. Was I eloquent enough? I told myself I was just

there to observe but as I heard the women pray in four steps (Praise, Silent Confession, Thanksgiving, Intercession), I found myself joining in. The women prayed in sweet, simple phrases, and I sighed a big sigh of relief. I could do this.

The prayers were from the heart and that is what mattered. The women loved and welcomed me in, and somewhere along the way I was transformed. Instead of being nervous to pray out loud I began to look forward to it! Prayer became my first resort, my comfort, and my joy. I began to pray about everything!

Years ago, I had the joy of spending time with Fern Nichols, the woman that the Lord raised up to found the worldwide ministry Moms in Prayer. I will never forget what she told me. I was accompanying her on an interview and I waited outside holding her purse and phone while she

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MOMS IN PRAYER

was being recorded. Her phone kept beeping with text after text and I was worried it might be heard.

When I went to turn her phone to silent, I saw the texts were all prayers, many of them from her own children! Her children were praying for HER! After the interview I told her how I had seen the sweet prayers. Fern smiled at me as she cupped my face with her hands, "Never stop praying! It is so worth it! This is the legacy."

Jesus taught "...that men always ought to pray and not lose heart," Luke 18:1b (NKJV) With all my heart this is who I want to be— a woman who prays always and never gives up. The times in which we are living and raising a family are difficult. Our children daily face dangers, darkness, and temptations but Jesus is the answer. When we carry our children to Jesus in prayer, wonderful things happen! It doesn't matter if we see these things are not. God's word promises us, "the earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results." James 5:16b (NLT) Spending time in earnest prayer for our children makes an eternal

difference in their lives; without a doubt, it is the best possible use of our time. "The great tragedy of life is not unanswered prayer it is unoffered prayer." (F.B. Meyer) Oh that we may choose today to pray always and never lose heart.

I have had the privilege of praying for all four of my children from elementary school through college. And I am still praying. When I go to speak at events, I now receive texts from my children that they are praying for ME! May I say to you, "Never stop praying! It is so worth it! This is the legacy!"

Moms in Prayer impacts children and schools worldwide for Christ by gathering moms to pray. This ministry is in every state and over 150 countries! If you would like to learn more, see if there is a group at your child's school, or are interested in starting a group, please visit our website at MomsinPrayer.org

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