**CULT POWER**

**To understand the true power of brainwashing organizations (often called "cults"), whether they are religious or political, all you have to do is study the history of these groups, which records the inhuman violence that their followers have committed.**

**How do you get "good Christians" to dance around the stake of a woman burning to death in agony?**

**How do you get family members of "peaceful Muslims" to gather in a circle and throw stones at their mother or daughter until they are dead?**

**How do you get an entire nation of mostly "normal people" to go along with exterminating millions of Jews?**

**Well, I recently got a bird's-eye view into the mind of someone who showed me the amazing power that cults can exercise over the minds of those who are too weak to defend themselves against indoctrination. In this case, I'm talking about the political brainwashing organization known as "Fox News."**

**A "Fox Fan" told me that she believed that Planned Parenthood should be defunded. I asked why. She said because they do abortions. And then she made the most amazingly contradictory statement I have ever heard in my life (make sure you are sitting down before reading on).**

**She said she was pro-choice!**

**I asked why she believed Planned Parenthood should be defunded for doing abortions, since that contradicted her claim of being pro-choice. She replied "because my tax dollars should not have to pay for it."**

**I then told her that Fox News forgot to tell her one tiny detail:**

**Tax dollars cannot be used to fund abortions.**

**Dead silence.**

**Trapped, she refused to admit the contradiction and then resorted to merely repeating her position. When they do that, you know that they have put on their fact-resistant, bullet-proof helmet ... game over.**

**Fox News has tied her brain into so many knots, it could pass for an anaconda mating ball. She believes whatever they tell her to believe even if it contradicts her own beliefs.**

**This brings us to the more serious issue - cult victims will never admit they are wrong no matter what proof you show them. As countless well-meaning friends and relatives have found out, saving someone from a cult is nearly impossible.**

**To fix the minds of these broken people is the task that lies ahead of us ... and that is one hell of a task. Now you can see the power of cults in all their glory: they have the power to make people act against their own beliefs. It was once believed that hypnosis had this power, but recent studies have indicated that it does not.**

**That's why Christians could dance around a burning, dying woman, or lynch black people; that's why Muslims can murder their own family members and still feel proud; and that's why Confederates could enslave millions of humans, or Nazis could exterminate millions of Jews ... and not lose any sleep at night.**

**Cults have the power to strip humans of their humanity.**

**Until we solve this problem, we are all in for a long, tough haul.**