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On Behalf of Joseph . . .

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Subscriber,

This is Elizabeth Farah, Joseph's wife.

You don't hear from me much as Joseph traditionally speaks for the two of us . . . but today he cannot.

Several weeks ago, **Joseph suffered a serious stroke**.

He was out for his morning walk with our dog, Cooper, and it struck.

Joseph being the strong man that he is, didn't want to tell me at first. I know he was scared, but he didn't want to see that fear in the eyes of his wife.

Once I realized that something was wrong, I rushed him to the hospital and doctors confirmed that Joseph had been hit by a significant stroke that impairs his thoughts.

I thank God that it is treatable and we're in the process of learning and deciding at this point.

But along with my duties as Joseph's wife, I have a duty to our combined passion, and that's WorldNetDaily.

Before that fateful morning walk, Jospeh was in the midst of a significant transition for WorldNetDaily.

He had been preparing to ensure WND's future and had previously written the email below that I'm sharing with you now – please take a moment to read it, and please, show your support for our continued work.

Subscriber,

Think about this, Gen Z'ers like David Hogg and other young far-left activists haven't even been on this earth for as long as I've been publishing WorldNetDaily.

Of all of the analogies I could have shared about the 22-year history of WorldNetDaily, I brought this up because it's important.

Since 1997, our culture, our politics and our nation have been upended by technology.

Generation Z has literally grown up with Facebook and social media.

It's a terrifying thing if you consider the implications.

An entire generation of Americans has their news, entertainment, viewpoints and even **the majority of their human interaction** served to them through **the filters of computer algorithms**.

These algorithms create "Thought Bubbles" that mold and shape these kids (and many others) through a constant scroll of hand-picked news and content . . . **all day, every day**.

Here's the danger: Facebook, Twitter, Google, etc., have the majority of Americans trapped in a leftist Thought Bubble.

The stories that you see every day from WorldNetDaily will never come across their feeds.

They could scroll all day and NEVER come across a single article that notes the accomplishments of the Trump Administration and they certainly would not see this string of letters . . . J E S U S.

It's all by the design of the social media gods to create a "harmonious" platform.

The impact, aside from a complete lack of diverse opinion, gets down to the core of American culture and education.

Facebook and Twitter users are shielded from anything that doesn't fit a liberal

narrative, while honest publications that serve truly independent news, **are elbowed out of the room**.

As you've seen newspapers fold across the nation for several decades, the same is happening with online independent publishers.

Facebook, Twitter and Google are controlling the flow of traffic to independent publishers – especially those who don't align with their agenda.

It's like opening the doors to a mall on Black Friday but using ropes to control the crowds to only a few select stores.

Admittedly, their algorithms and business practices are far from my control, however how WorldNetDaily deals with it is up to me . . . and you.

That's why for the last few months, I've restructured WorldNetDaily to introduce the WND News Center, the new, **non-profit organization** that will be responsible for producing our daily content.

As a reader of WorldNetDaily, I'm inviting you to become an inaugural member of the WND News Center with a gift of \$25 or more.

Our news center is now responsible for the fiercely independent articles that we publish each day, and by supporting us, you are supporting one of the oldest truly independent publications that still remains today.

Several months ago, when I prayed about WND's future, I found calm and peace when I realized that the future of our publication, the careers of our staff, and our integrity, is NOT in the hands of Facebook, Google and Twitter.

Our future is in your hands, and I thank God that it is.

I know that you and a few thousand other Americans have the experience and knowledge to grasp the importance of independent journalism.

I know that as long as I'm honest with you, you won't let us fail.

If you haven't already done so, please click here and support our publishing costs through May.

If you're able to donate \$25, \$50, \$100, even \$10, you'll be helping to keep our 22-year streak alive.

And when you donate, please consider making your contribution a monthly gift.

You can cancel your gift anytime you need to.

With the closing of each independent publication, leaving only establishmentapproved leftist media to guide the nation's future, Americans are losing another voice that offers them an alternative view and an **opportunity to see the truth**.

Because of that, we won't go gently into the night.

Please accept my invitation to become an inaugural member of the WND News Center.

God Bless,

Joseph Farah Founder WorldNetDaily

Now that you've read Joseph's email, you can only imagine the stress this had placed on him.

But to make matters worse, following his stroke, one of the members of what Joseph refers to as the "Tower of Babel" (Google, Amazon, Facebook and Twitter), went on the attack and, through the *Washington Post*, published a hit piece on WND that they thought would put us down for the count.

With your help, it won't.

Joseph is a fighter.

And while he's in recovery, I'm taking on his strength . . . because I have no other choice.

Please, support the future of WND by donating here.

If you're able, check the box to make your gift a monthly recurring donation, and the tech giants will never be able to stop us.

I'll do my best to keep you up to date on the operations of the WND News Center, and I greatly appreciate your time and support during our ongoing challenge.

With Gratitude,

Elizabeth Farah Interim CEO WND News Center

P.S. When you donate, please consider making your gift a monthly contribution. You can cancel whenever you like and this will help us save fundraising costs and dedicate more funds to providing the best, independent content to our readers.

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