

FEDERALISM

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH

Federalism out of control = **Unresponsive Government** = **Low Trust**

On the 22nd in 1972, the Equal Rights Amendment is passed with a vote of 354 to 24 by the US House of Representatives on **October 12, 1971**, then by a vote of 84 to 8 passed the US Senate but fails to be Ratified by the States. Without this Amendment, we still moved forward as a nation implementing **Title IV**, which ensured the expansion of education/sports programs in schools for women. Originally proposed in **1923** by **Alice Paul** and the **National Women's Party**, it was opposed by many of the same people that had worked to pass the 19th Amendment (**Women's Suffrage**) in 1920. Ask yourself, **had this passed, how would it have impacted the arguments today when you consider swimming competition in the NCAA and the challenges brought on by Transgender Athletes?** A discussion is needed, be civil.

Consider: The Food and Drug Administration "FDA", as well as other agencies that approve or restrict the use of drugs or procedures in medicine. On the surface this is a good thing. However, people do not realize how the FDA has tied the hands of Physicians and Clinics, by not allowing drugs to be used for procedures for which there may be evidence of success. **Dr. Vincent DeVita** and **Elizabeth**

DeVita, write in "**The Death of CANCER**", of how *"Mortality rates are declining, but America's cancer patients are still being shortchanged—by timid doctors, by misguided national agendas, by compromised bureaucracies, and by a lack of access to information about the strengths and weaknesses of the nation's cancer centers."* **How does this apply to other areas of medicine?** This is an emotionally compelling and informative read, as well as a call to arms. DeVita believes that we're well on our way to curing cancer but that there are things we need to change to get there.

"The only foundation for a useful education in a republic is to be laid in religion. Without this there can be no virtue, and without virtue there can be no liberty."

- SAMUEL ADAMS



Can the same be said of the recent management of the COVID pandemic. Vaccinations were created, but within the US we were left with the **impression that the Pfizer vaccinations were FDA approved**, yet they were only approved under **EUA status**. Materially different approvals. **COVAXIN**, a vaccine based on traditional approach to vaccines, created in a foreign market, has had their approval process slowed down by the FDA. Politics appears to be in the way of an approval by a Federal Agency. As for the treatment of patients, are Doctors were being held back from "**Practicing Medicine**" as their talents suggest other

possibilities exist for treating patients. **Where was the discussion on Natural Immunities?** In short, **Has the Federal Government, and their agencies, gotten so big, that they are becoming unresponsive to We the People?**

Should States have more say?