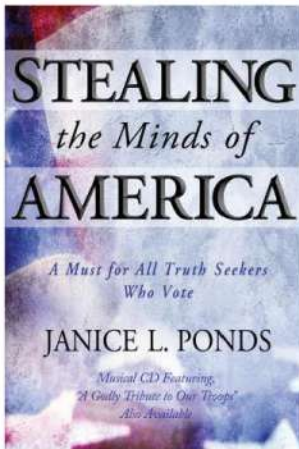


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STEALING THE MINDS OF AMERICA

Tulsa, OK- “I didn’t realize that my mind had been stolen and I no longer was thinking for myself,” explains Janice L. Ponds, author of the book, *Stealing the Minds of America*. “I was ignorant of the true facts and too proud to listen,” Ponds continued. “I know there are others who were just like me. That is why I believe that this is a message for all truth seekers who vote.”

Janice’s journey for truth is a compelling account of historical facts from the 1800s to the present administration. Like many African Americans today, Ponds was raised in a family that taught her two important truths: to always read your Bible and to always vote a straight Democratic ticket. A descendent of Henrietta Phelps Jeffries, Janice’s great-grandmother had been born into slavery in North Carolina. Because of this, the fact that African Americans could vote was a precious gift that had been instilled in Janice from an early age. It wasn’t until she was an adult in her mid-thirties that she began to educate herself on the platforms of the political parties and came to the self-realization that she had been “ignorant and proud.” Ignorant of what the political party platforms truly embraced and too proud to listen when anyone attempted to challenge her preconceived ideas and bitter resentment of what had been done to her people in the past.

This compelling book reveals hard-hitting issues facing Americans since the 1800s and still existing today--issues which have been spearheaded by a well-organized political agenda. *Stealing the Minds of America* challenges all to think for themselves and look at historical facts which could affect present day existence. For example:

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What Others Are Saying

“When God records history in the Bible, He shows the good, the bad, and the ugly. God always presents the unvarnished truth, and Janice has faithfully followed that model in Stealing the Minds of America, presenting black history in a straightforward uncompromising manner abandoned in recent years. Knowing who we were in the past affects who we are today, and how we behave in the future. All who want to live their lives by God’s standards will benefit from Stealing the Minds of America.”

--Dave Barton

Founder of WallBuilders, Inc.

**Time Magazine called him
“One of the Top 25 Evangelical
Leaders of 2007”**

Do you know what political party...

- Was initially created as anti-slavery leaders broke away to establish a new political group to abolish slavery?
- Allowed black Americans to participate in the political process subsequent to slavery; resulting in hundreds of black men who were former slaves, becoming congressmen and prominent political leaders?
- Spearheaded the Dred Scott decision of 1857, delivered by a party-specific Supreme Court declaring blacks were not persons or citizens, but instead property with no rights?
- Repealed all civil rights laws in 1876 and instituted “Jim Crow” laws to deprive blacks of their voting and civil rights?
- Did not have a single one of its 56 Congressional members vote for the 15th amendment which supported granting explicit voting rights to black Americans?
- Formed the Ku Klux Klan in an effort to prevent African-American leaders from being elected to political office after slavery was abolished; and terrorized both black and white Americans who had a specific party affiliation?
- Had its key leaders vote against a bill called the Unborn Victims of Violence Act of 2004, which would protect unborn children from assault and murder; and the Born-Alive Protection Act, which granted 14th amendment rights to babies surviving abortion?

About Janice L. Ponds -- Growing up in the South during the 60s and 70s afforded Janice the opportunity to have first hand experiences which left her full of bitterness, prejudice, and misinformation. However, early into adulthood Janice was drawn to a higher calling which began her journey for truth to break free from the bondage of the past.

Janice holds a B.S. in Education from N.C. A&T State University; a M.A. in Special Education/School Psychology from Ohio State University; and did post graduate studies at the University of Virginia. Her wide-range of experience as a teacher; school psychologist; psychiatric counselor; clinical director; substance abuse treatment program coordinator, director, and supervisor; clinical consultant; therapist; singer; speaker; and author; have given her insight into practical ways to understand and effectively help individuals from all walks of life.

She is a compelling speaker regarding spiritual, social, and political issues affecting America; being featured on the INSP Network, Faith2Action, Janet Parshall’s America, Family Network Radio and more. Janice currently resides in Tulsa, Oklahoma.



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