

Whiteness – the original sin

Jim Goad

Interesting perspectives on being white in contemporary America

Goad is not afraid to speak his mind. This book challenges a lot of today's orthodoxy.

Specific topics include:

White slavery in America – Goad has done a fair amount of research on the subject. Slavery was a very pervasive institution, affecting all ethnicities. See my review of a Brazilian perspective, *História Da Escravidão* by Maurilio De Gouveia, which traces the history of slavery in Europe and mentions the USA only twice.

The way in which white people – straight white men most particularly – have been demonized over the past half-century. Unlike Goad, I have lived through this and pondered it at length. What at first seemed like random attempts to undermine our position in society appears in retrospect to have been anything but random.

The selective denial of the innate differences among human populations. Goad chronicles the comical contortions to which they go to convince us that transsexuality is natural and innate, but the differences among races are no more than social constructions.

Goad's perspective is expressly American. Several Europeans have done the same for their countries. *La France Orange Mecanique* is one of many I have reviewed.

Goad's style is the five-page essay. He takes a single point, makes that point, and wraps it up. 250 pages is just enough for 50 of these essays. Here is the table of contents.

5 stars

A brave man, waving red flags in front of all of the bull coming from the establishment

Jim Goad is a well-known personality in the blogging world; he is a regular and prolific contributor to Takimag.

Several things surprised me about this book. First, that Amazon rather than any Internet forum called my attention to its existence. It seems to have been published with very little fanfare. Second, I'm surprised that this is only the second review for a man with such a wide following. It is unsurprising that the book turns out to be either self-published or pretty close. The publisher is listed as "Obnoxious Publications."

The essay is Goad's format. As the table of contents below shows, he has the ability to put across a single idea in about 5 pages.

Is unsparing in applying sarcasm to the hamsters/rodents/vermin of the left. His message throughout is that they do not have cogent arguments. Science is not on their side. There is no science demonstrating their fundamental precept, that all people are equal.

This being the case, their argument that things are the way they are because evil white people wanted so simply does not stand up. There are, and always have been, differences among individual people and differences in the averages among peoples. What is new is our studious, willful, reckless blindness to such obvious differences.

He singles out the educators for their obtuse unwillingness to see the obvious. He singles them out for their egregious double standards, permitting all other groups to discriminate against white males, but tolerating no such activity among whites. There are clubs, sports, extra facilities for everybody else except white me. He goes into the plight of rednecks at some length. While by any objective measure their situation is worse than that of certain minorities, they never get a break.

He has a wonderful article on Jared Taylor of American Renaissance, whom the entire leftist establishment works vehemently to hate but who is such a gentleman that he never gives them anything to attack except facts. He smothers them with facts that they cannot refute.

Among the facts that Goad, Taylor and others point out is that "white supremacy" is a canard. They all acknowledge that Northeast Asians and Jews generally do better by objective measure: SATs, IQ tests, income, status... Moreover, there is just about nobody who fails to see these facts.

Goad is a student of white slavery in the English colonies of the New World. He has a couple of articles describing how extensive and brutal it was, approaching the scale of black slavery. He describes how assiduously the history is suppressed, detracting as it does from the narrative that black slavery was uniquely evil and is the cause of black underperformance.

Goad coins a meme he calls "Passover Syndrome." Goodwhites relentlessly signal their virtue in the belief that when the racial situation blows up, and as whites become a minority, they will be rewarded for their benevolence toward minorities. As with the Israelites of old, the avenging minorities will "pass over" the households of the virtuous goodwhites. Goad points out the absurdity of this concept. A white person is a white person. He points to instances, such as the Portland riots, in which minorities attacked all white people, unable and uninterested in distinguishing the supposed good from the supposed bad.

It is especially dangerous to identify the authors and perpetrators of this diversity business. Especially by ethnicity. Goad is unusually brave in doing so, which may well account for the fact that he had to self publish. He says the things that you cannot say in modern America. For that alone he deserves 5 stars.

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