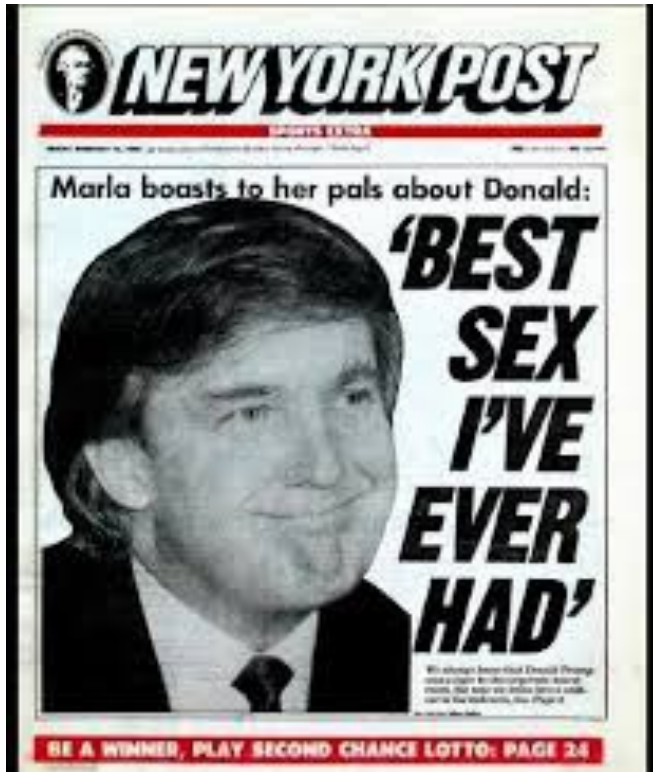


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**THERE IS SOMETHING DEEPER AND DARKER HAPPENING HERE... TRUMP IS ACTUALLY INSANE...**



Trump has managed to monopolize the news cycles lately with overlapping, unbelievable stories that roll past far too fast for anyone to properly “digest” it. Which I’m sure is the point.

There is NO “media oxygen” for anyone else.

Trump was FOR higher taxes on the rich... and then he wasn’t... while at the same time saying that his OWN taxes were not the voters’ business. I can’t believe the press hasn’t figured out the tax thing yet... as I did in fifteen minutes on Google for [Gazette Issue #127](#). Trump doesn’t want to report his taxes because HE DOESN’T PAY ANYTHING!

Trump has been swinging HARD at Hillary on the same old twenty-year old Bill and Monica bullshit... like THAT is going to work... AND he is actually “pitching” Hillary as the “enabler” of Bill’s lecherous behavior. Also... all of this somehow makes Hillary “anti women”? WTF?

“It’s not ME... it’s HER! SHE HIT ME FIRST!”

If this bloviating simpleton nitwit had bothered to check his google history (and come off of Twitter for a few minutes) he would have learned that Hillary Clinton had [her highest approval ratings](#) at the time of the exposure of Bill’s private “office parties” with the twenty-two year old Monica Lewinsky.

I also don’t think he realizes that Bill ended his presidency only slightly behind Reagan in the low 50s of public approval ratings (which was two times higher than G. W. Bush).

And Clinton’s LOWEST approval rating was at 38% (compared to 35% for Reagan... and 22% for G. W. Bush).

I have a theory that all of the “sex stuff” actually made the Clintons more “human” as a couple. And numbers don’t lie.

Also... Obama’s LOW point has been 41%... NOT bad!

[Great chart on Presidential Approval Ratings.](#)

Hillary is handling it all well... just brushing it off and never making a comment. Staying above it all... as she should.

And thanks to “Saint” Elizabeth Warren for recently taking Trump on with snarky remarks on Twitter... KNOWING that he couldn’t resist HITTING BACK!

If the Democrats could get all of their female leaders to hit him with a “tweet barrage” at the same time they could create a PERFECT “Twitter Storm” of Trump attacking women.

**THE NEWS LATELY HAS BEEN AMAZING...**

Out of the blue... a 25 year old tape surfaces of Trump PRETENDING to be his own publicist in order to plant a People Magazine story about how great he was... how he had multiple girlfriends... and also about his POSSIBLE relationships with famous women. This is really SICK stuff!

He also totally “trashed” Marla Maples... from whom he was temporarily having a “fling away” with ANOTHER attractive model... before later getting back together with her... having a child out of wedlock... and then marrying and dumping her.

And he thinks Bill Clinton was bad?

When the People Magazine reporter played the tape for Marla Maples... she broke down in tears as she recognized Trump’s voice on the phone telling THE WORLD about his “other girlfriends” and how Marla just wasn’t “working out”.

And Trump later admitted that it WAS him on the phone before yesterday denying the whole thing on the Today show.

And if Trump can go back twenty years with Bill and Hillary... the Democrats can certainly go back twenty-five for this complete depravity. It certainly goes to the core of his sanity as Trump is indeed the worst level of narcissist.

And I'd like to be clear... that "narcissism" is a VERY REAL psychological disorder... as many people think calling someone a "narcissist" is simply like calling them a jerk or an asshole.

But it is much deeper and darker than that.

And it is very serious stuff that has much historical precedent.

Donald Trump is insane.

### **From the [MAYO CLINIC Website...](#)**

*Narcissistic personality disorder is a mental disorder in which people have an inflated sense of their own importance, a deep need for admiration and a lack of empathy for others.*

*But behind this mask of ultra confidence lies a fragile self-esteem that's vulnerable to the slightest criticism.*

*A narcissistic personality disorder causes problems in many areas of life, such as relationships, work, school or financial affairs.*

*You may be generally unhappy and disappointed when you're not given the special favors or admiration you believe you deserve.*

*Others may not enjoy being around you, and you may find your relationships unfulfilling.*

*If you have narcissistic personality disorder, you may come across as conceited, boastful or pretentious. You often monopolize conversations. You may belittle or look down on people you perceive as inferior. You may feel a sense of entitlement — and when you don't receive special treatment, you may become impatient or angry. You may insist on having "the best" of everything — for instance, the best car, athletic club or medical care.*

*At the same time, you have trouble handling anything that may be perceived as criticism. You may have secret feelings of insecurity, shame, vulnerability and humiliation. To feel better, you may react with rage or contempt and try to belittle the other person to make yourself appear superior.*

*Many experts use the criteria in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-5), published by the American Psychiatric Association, to diagnose mental conditions. This manual is also used by insurance companies to reimburse for treatment.*

### **DSM-5 criteria for narcissistic personality disorder include these features:**

- *Having an exaggerated sense of self-importance*
- *Expecting to be recognized as superior even without achievements that warrant it*
- *Exaggerating your achievements and talents*
- *Being preoccupied with fantasies about success, power, brilliance, beauty or the perfect mate*
- *Believing that you are superior and can only be understood by or associate with equally special people*
- *Requiring constant admiration*
- *Having a sense of entitlement*
- *Expecting special favors and unquestioning compliance with your expectations*
- *Taking advantage of others to get what you want*
- *Having an inability or unwillingness to recognize the needs and feelings of others*
- *Being envious of others and believing others envy you*
- *Behaving in an arrogant or haughty manner*

*Although some features of narcissistic personality disorder may seem like having confidence, it's not the same. Narcissistic disorder crosses the border of healthy confidence into thinking so highly of yourself that you put yourself on a pedestal and value yourself more than you value others.*

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Does it all now seem PERFECTLY clear with Mr. Trump?

Does this also not echo historical precedents?

This man MUST be stopped.

As GOP leaders and party members line up like sheep.

Even if you have to "HOLD YOUR NOSE" for Hillary Clinton...

EVERYBODY BETTER VOTE!

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