



Vive la Différence

Attributed to French poet, journalist, novelist – and 1921 recipient of the Nobel Prize for Literature – **Anatole France**

“And you knew who you were then
girls were girls and men were men”

The above lyrics are from the theme song “Those Were the Days,” from the popular TV show **All in the Family** which ran from 1971-1979. **All in the Family** was a sitcom centered around a “greatest generation” couple, Archie and Edith Bunker, who struggled to accept the changing mores of a subsequent generation.



“If it looks like duck, walks like a duck and quacks like a duck, it’s probably a duck.”

The medical TV drama **St. Elsewhere**, which ran from 1982-1988, included a poignant series of vignettes in its first season which addressed the subject of delusion about self. In a series of episodes, we are introduced to two patients in the psychiatric ward who believe they are birds. Joan Zontell (aka Tweety) has been readmitted despite having been previously successfully treated for her delusion that she is a bird. Subsequent psychiatric therapy successfully restores her sense of reality. Her boyfriend Ralph (aka the Bird Man of St. Eligius) is a brilliant MIT graduate who has a similar, but far more serious delusion. Ultimately, despite extensive psychiatric therapy, Ralph jumps to his death from the top of the hospital building, convinced he can fly.

Delusional (From Oxford Dictionary)

Characterized by or holding false beliefs or judgments about external reality that are held despite incontrovertible evidence to the contrary, typically as a symptom of a mental condition.

Based upon that definition, transgender people are delusional.

The term gender dysphoria replaced the previous diagnostic label of gender identity disorder in 2013. By simply removing the word “disorder,” the medical community has normalized the condition.

Fast forward from the seventies and eighties fiction to present reality.

- I recently visited a Staples store to have a poster made for a memorial service for my late brother. As I approached the counter, the manager told me that Melody would be helping me. Even though Melody was wearing a dress, Melody also had a five o'clock shadow and an Adam's apple.
- Mediocre biological male athletes have declared female gender identities in order to compete and dominate women's aquatic and track & field sports.
- Drag queens now conduct story hours for kindergarten kids in schools and public libraries.
- Driver's licenses and passports now allow for non-binary gender identification.
- School teachers must address students by their professed gender-identified pronoun, typically “they.”
- A Connecticut elementary school student who identifies as a cat is allowed to keep a litter box by her desk.
- Top surgery, which is surgery that removes or augments breast tissue and reshapes the nipples and chest to create a more masculine or feminine appearance for transgender and non-binary people, is now an accepted procedure for adolescents.
- Hormone blockers are administered to children to halt their normal gender biological development.
- In Connecticut, people are now allowed to revise the gender characterization on their birth certificate. Transgender advocates assert that doctors incorrectly identify the gender of a newborn by relying upon observation of the baby's genitals
- Recently, two women in a women's bathroom confronted a man using the facility. They were arrested.
- Our armed forces are now required to pay for gender affirming medications and surgery for any military person requesting it.

Far left liberals, who have had effective political control of the country, have codified the transgender delusion into laws and regulations proclaiming that people can determine their own gender identity, which society must abide by.

What was once fringe behavior that was tolerated is now being encouraged as the new normal for society.

Thus, Melody (formerly Jack) can now apply for a job at Hooters or a Playboy Club and then sue if denied employment.

Liberals, who adore “science” when it advances their cause (such as the COVID-19 social distance rule of six feet, which Dr. Fauci admitted he pulled out of thin air) conveniently ignore the science concerning binary genders. Besides their reproductive organs, science has confirmed that men and women are biologically different in all of their organs. In fact, even at the cellular level, men and women are profoundly different.

That difference is essential to the effective reproduction process in nature, fostered by binary genders. Cloning produces subsequent generations of unhealthy creatures due to the unchecked replication of inevitable genetic mutations.

Biological men will never be wet nurses, and biological women will never be sperm donors. Duh!

We are who the creator made us, not who we might want to be.

Wake up America!

Roger

Important note: Some people have the misfortune of being born with ambiguous genitalia, which is a rare condition where a child is born with outer genitals that do not clearly look either male or female. They may have features of both sexes or not be fully developed. The characteristics of the child's genitals may not match their internal sex organs or their genetic sex. For those folks, society should give every possible consideration in terms of psychological, pharmacological or surgical intervention to treat their condition.