



# A PRAYER GUIDE AGAINST CIVIL UNREST

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## Anatomy of a protest

It was in the headlines: Civil unrest in Dallas overnight. Five police officers were shot by sniper fire in retaliation for the killing of a black man by police in Baton Rouge. Protestors were congregating in anger over what appeared to be a racially motivated killing. It's not the first time we have seen protests such as this, coupled with varying degrees of violence. What is behind this recent rash of division, angst, lawlessness, and violence? Out of 93 shootings by police of unarmed suspects last year, 38 were African-American (*Washington Examiner*, July 8, 2016), which is very sad but not a disproportionate number. So why the explosion of unrest? Is there a force behind the protests, stirring the pot and exploiting emotions for a greater purpose? The answer is yes.

## The usual suspects

The same names and organizations are active in many of the divisive issues in current events. No matter what the issue — LGBT rights, religious freedom, or racial tension — one sees their fingerprints. In this Special Report, we will reveal the movers and shakers of those in our nation and the world who are inciting riots and bringing about chaos, unrest, and ungodly change. We will also focus on some who seek to promote truth and righteousness.

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*“Nonviolence means avoiding not only external physical violence but also internal violence of spirit. You not only refuse to shoot a man, but you refuse to hate him.”*

*- Martin Luther King, Jr.*

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Rioters in Ferguson, Missouri, destroy a police vehicle. (Picture by Telegraph UK)

## In This Report:

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Black Lives Matter protestors in Dallas before sniper fire erupted July 7, 2016. (photo KRON4)

## The agenda of unrest

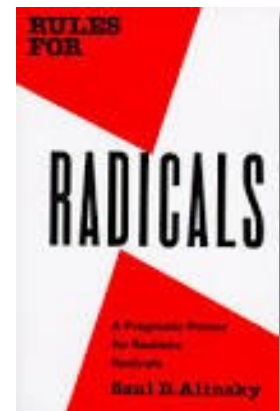
Encouraging rioting and unrest is not just a means to bring change or right an injustice. Knowing there are people with an agenda and groups with plans behind the rioting brings another level of understanding to what is happening in the news. Who gains? What legislation or issues will move forward with rioting that would not have happened with simple non-violent protests as Martin Luther King, Jr. led? Inarguably, a larger agenda is at play behind many of the violent protests. Saul Alinsky, in his book *Rules for Radicals*, says, “The job of the organizer is to maneuver and bait the establishment so that it will publicly attack him as a ‘dangerous enemy.’”

### What do these shadow groups hope to accomplish?

- Increased strife, unrest, and lawlessness.
- Through unrest, provide opportunity for the government to intervene with heavy-handedness, and overreach through legislation.
- Force lawmakers and other leaders to respond in a kneejerk fashion to the emotions and not the issues.
- Demonize a group or ideology by using false pretenses, false protest, and exaggerated responses by citizens. (The same-sex marriage lawsuits are an example.)
- Create victims and use them to further their ideology and agenda in the news. The victim is merely a means to an end.

## Rules for Radicals

This Saul Alinsky book is referred to often in reverence by those who seek to further their agenda by a communist approach, and by those who seek to warn others about it. It is a handbook on how to bring radical revolution to a nation. It should be pointed out that Saul Alinsky dedicated his book to Satan, “the ultimate radical,” as Alinsky calls him. This is on the front page of the book, leaving no question as to where Alinsky stands. David Horowitz (see page 6) has



*Rules for Radicals* is the quintessential handbook read by radical activists, otherwise known as “community organizers.”

exposed the book and its “rules” in the mainstream press for others to be aware and recognize them in use. Additional classical “rules” many radicals use include the [10 Planks of Communism and The Communist Takeover of America - 45 Goals](#). Readers can learn much by clicking the link above. Be aware: they may sound alarmingly familiar.

## George Soros

His name is familiar, but not many people know who and what he is. Soros, a Hungarian national



who became a U.S. citizen, is a billionaire whose wealth was gained largely through currency manipulation. He is known as the man who “broke the bank of England.” His fortune funds the advancement of his own radical agenda, which is ultimately the advancement of atheism and the overthrow of the U.S. Republic.

Soros has given away nearly \$10 billion to left-wing groups. He has founded and financed multiple activist groups with the sole purpose of advancing their agendas in our nation. Some are well known, such as MoveOn.org, The Center for American Progress, and Media Matters. Other groups are not well known by design.

“I admit that I have always harbored an exaggerated view of my self-importance — to put it bluntly, I fancied myself as some kind of god,” Soros has declared.

## MacArthur Foundation



COUNCIL on FOUNDATIONS



These power donors fund many far left-leaning groups through their foundations.

## Operating in the shadows

“It’s all in a name” is the old saying, and when it comes to these shadow organizations, that is certainly true. **The Southern Poverty Law Center** sounds like a group working to help poor southerners with their legal problems, but that is far from the truth. With winsome sounding names and seemingly innocent causes, these groups are wolves in sheep’s clothing. Listed here are some of the organizations Christians should keep on their radar and in their prayers.

**MoveOn.org**—One of the more notable groups that stokes the emotions and fans the flames of imaginary injustice. MoveOn.org has a regular habit of bus-ing in protestors, providing those people with signs and talking points, as well as handsome compensation and hotel accommodations. They send protestors to political rallies to protest as well as sites such as Ferguson, Missouri. Soros is a huge funder of MoveOn.org.

**The TIDES Foundation**—Their Web site says, “Since 1976, Tides has worked with innovative partners to accelerate toward a world of shared prosperity and social justice.” They fund pro-gay, pro-abortion, anti-military, and anti-religious liberty groups through grants and activist programs. Hundreds of millions of dol-lars are funneled through **TIDES**. Anonymity is what donors want and Drum-mond Pike, its founder, knows that. Multiple sub-groups within TIDES exist to distribute funds.

**Rainbow/PUSH Coalition** states they are “a multi-racial, multi-issue, progressive (which means ultra-liberal), international membership organization fighting for social change.” Founder and resident Jesse Jackson has a docu-mented reputation for lying, profiteering, and stoking of racial division. (From the book, *Shakedown*, by Kenneth Timmerman.)

**ACORN**—now operating under regional names such as **Alliance of Californians for Community Empowerment (ACCE)**, **Communities Organized Interna-tional [COI]**, **ACTION United**, **MORE**, and **Affordable Housing Centers of Pennsylvania (AHCOPA)**. *Continued on page 4*



Black Lives Matter is just one of the groups funded by shadow funding groups.

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**Southern Poverty Law Center**—A leftist organization dedicated to litigating against what they consider “hate groups,” such as American Family Association and Family Research Council. A great number of the cases they bring are pro-gay, pro-abortion, and anti-religious freedom.

**Democracy Alliance (DA)**—A funding group organized by Rob Stein, former Clinton administration treasury official. It is composed of George Soros; Taco Bell heir Rob McKay; Hollywood liberals, Norman Lear and Rob Reiner; co-founder of Tides Network, Drummond Pike; Service Employees International Union (SEIU) boss Anna Burger; and former Rockefeller Family Fund president Anne Bartley. Note that many of the protests for Black Lives Matter have included SEIU members who have been paid to pose as local protestors.

**Black Lives Matter**—An organization also funded by George Soros. It promotes division in our nation by exacerbating and exploiting assumed police violence against black people. The group is known for its dangerous protests and raucous behavior, unlike the peaceful and productive protests of the civil rights activists of a previous generation. BLM was founded by Patrisse Cullors, Alicia Garza, and Opal Tometi, although the leadership and organization is very loose and disordered. A group of wealthy donors, **The Democracy Alliance**, is associated with BLM (see above). Many people perceive this group as homegrown and grassroots.

“BLM is one of many projects undertaken by the **Freedom Road Socialist Organization (FRSO)**,” writes **investigative journalist James Simpson**. He points out that FRSO and BLM receive funding through the **National Domestic Workers Alliance (NDWA)**. Simpson continues, “FRSO/BLM organizations are generously supported by a diverse group of wealthy foundations. Some, like those employing BLM founders [Alicia Garza and Opal Tometi] receive money directly.”

Black Lives Matter has also waded into gay activism, proclaiming on their Web site that “queer” issues are also a part of their group’s platform, given that two of the three founders are lesbians.

## Grassroots protests?

Import enough protestors onto the scene and anyone can create a “homegrown spontaneous protest.” To fuel protests in many communities, ads for paid protestors are placed, paying hourly wages, accommodations, travel expenses, and even benefits. Signs, shirts, and talking points are given to protestors. They create the illusion of masses of people with the same concern and same demands from the same town. In many cases this is not true, yet people will often go along with the ruse as long as they benefit in some way. Many members of the left-leaning media are of the same mind as the organizers and see their role as deliverers of a message instead of reporters of the facts. They fit the news to their narrative.

### *From The Washington Times:*

“**Hired protestors with the Black Lives Matter movement** have started a #CutTheCheck hashtag and held a sit-in at the offices for the successor group to the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN) in Missouri after the group allegedly stopped paying them.

“FrontPage magazine reports that Missourians Organizing for Reform and Empowerment (MORE) has been paying protestors **\$5,000 a month to demonstrate in Ferguson**. Last week, hired protestors, who haven’t been paid, held a sit-in at MORE’s offices and posted a demand letter online.

“**MORE is the re-branded Missouri branch of ACORN**, which filed for bankruptcy in late 2010, FrontPage reported. MORE and other groups supporting the Black Lives Matter movement have received millions of dollars from billionaire financier **George Soros**.” (*The Washington Times*, Tuesday, May 19, 2015)

## DeRay Mckesson

Out of the Black Lives Matter came another protégé of the left: **DeRay Mckesson**. Mckesson catapulted to national social media fame with his tweets and live cell phone coverage of violent protests in **Ferguson** after



the Michael Brown incident. As one of the original organizers of the protests in Ferguson, Mckesson fast-tracked his success with visits to the **White House** and introductions to progressive donors. Mckesson founded **Campaign Zero**, an organization similar to Black Lives Matter. Appearing on late night talk shows and cable news networks, Mckesson has become the new unofficial face of Black Lives Matter, although he holds no *formal* position with that organization. His recent arrest in **Baton Rouge** was a badge of honor for Mckesson, who doesn't seem to mind violence as long as it is on his side. (Jer. 16:17)

## Who is driving civil unrest?

Groups that have the most civil sounding names or the most noble of causes are often the groups doing the most to keep citizens at odds. Many groups operate under the radar, attempting to bring about negative cultural change that contributes to civil unrest. Other groups operate on the surface, ready to take advantage of current situations for their own gain. Pray these movers and shakers see God's truth.



**Drummond Pike** — Founder of **TIDES**; political and ideological cohort to George Soros. Together, Pike and Soros fund a large percentage of the groups that operate with similar goals. Pike bailed out ACORN when Dale Rathke (brother of ACORN founder Wade Rathke) was found to have embezzled nearly a million dollars. He covered the losses to keep from opening ACORN's books for review. (Jeremiah 23:24)



**Jesse Jackson** — Founder and president of **Rainbow/PUSH Coalition**. Jackson, along with Al Sharpton, are "the voice of race relations" in the minds of many Americans. Both Jackson and Sharpton profit when relations are poor, and can often be found at ground zero in racial hot spots, not healing and helping, but prodding and stoking. (Daniel 2:22)



**Al Sharpton** — **National Action Network** founder and president. Sharpton currently has a lien of 4.5 million against his organization for unpaid state and federal taxes. He has referred to white people as "crackers," Jewish people as "diamond merchants," and has used inflammatory and hateful language in his speeches on minorities. (Isaiah 28:15)



**Janet Murguía** — President and CEO of **National Council of La Raza (NCLR)**, an activist group that seeks open borders with Mexico, free college tuition, drivers licenses for illegals, and bi-lingual federal government and schools. This group stirs up their member base with inflammatory and racially oriented language. (1 Corinthians 4:5)

## Dangerous waters for conservative groups

Pray for these formerly conservative groups whose leaders are now attached to funders who have anti-Christian goals. Some of these organizations may be attracted to the easy money, others may have strayed from biblical values under the guise of social justice. They have been called the “New Christian Left.”

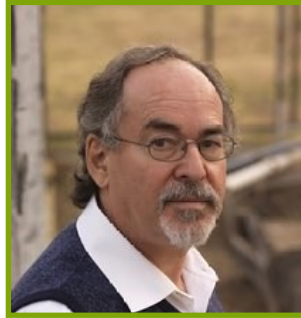
**Jim Wallis**, president of The Sojourners. They admitted they have received funding from George Soros’ Open Society Institute (OSI).

**Rev. Michael Livingston**, director of the National Council of Churches (NCC). Beginning in 2005, the NCC has raised more money from left-wing foundations than from its 37 member churches.

**John Carr** is executive director of the **Department of Justice, Peace, and Human Development** of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. More than 50 Catholic “Campaign for Human Development” grant recipients promote abortion and/or homosexuality.

## Who shines light into the darkness?

A tangled web of associations, hidden funds, and shell organizations makes it difficult to see clearly who is pulling the strings for protests such as Ferguson, Occupy Wall Street, The 99% Spring, and other orchestrated agitations. The people below, however, are speaking out clearly and shedding light on dark topics going on in our nation today. Please pray for their continued boldness, truthfulness, and safety.



**David Horowitz** — Former Marxist, now founder and president of the **David Horowitz Freedom Center**. Horowitz made it his mission to expose the Marxist agenda at the heart of much of the activity of the so-called “progressive” left and those associated with them. **Discover The Networks** is a Horowitz’s site that helps track the relationships between progressive donors and groups they support. (Psalm 27:1)



**Brent Bozell** — **Media Research Center** founder and president, whose organization employs a team of expert news analysts who daily monitor all major nationally televised broadcast and print news. MRC debunks false stories, reports objectively, and exposes news sources who do not report objectively. (1 Thessalonians 5:5-8)



**Joseph Bast** — president and founder of **The Heartland Institute**, a non-profit research center and “think tank.” The Heartland Institute produces studies and documentation on issues “progressives” (ultra-liberals) claim as their flagship issues. Heartland exposes the myths, misrepresentations, and money behind the activist issues such as climate change, education, and healthcare. (Daniel 12:3)



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