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ISSUES AND PROGRAMS

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ISSUES & PROGRAM REPORT

*“BILL BENNETT’S
MORNING IN AMERICA”*

January – March 2012

SRN Issues Report Morning In America

DAY	Hour	BRIEF DISCRIPTION OF TOPIC(S)/GUEST(S)
1/2	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Preview of the all-important Iowa Caucuses. Fred Barnes on the politics of the week. More on Tuesday's Iowa Caucuses.
1/3	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	James Pethokoukis on the state of the economy. Steve Hayward on winning the energy war in 2012. Paul Ryan on his new Medicare plan.
1/4	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Jen Rubin reports on the Iowa Caucuses. Rick Santorum on his win in IA; Byron York on the results. Bill Kristol on the future of the GOP Pres. Race.
1/5	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Obama's controversial recess appointments. Rick Wiley on RNC's plan to win 2012 elections. John Kline on education; Tony Barnhart on football.
1/6		GUEST HOST: SETH LEIBSOHN
1/9	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Michael Rubin on Mid. East foreign policy. Sen. Ron Johnson on the pay roll tax debate. Presidential debate review; MSM bias on display.
1/10	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST KEVIN WALL.
1/11	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Jay Nordlinger on NH primary results. Bill Kristol on GOP race post NH. Byron York on Romney's win in NH and what it means.
1/12	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Thursday check-in live from Austin, TX. Matt Franck on religious freedom; Brooke Rollins on EPA Art Laffer on taxes; Scott Walker on Wisconsin reforms
1/13		Guest host: Seth Leibsohn
1/16	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Jon Huntsman leaves race, endorses Romney. Peter Kirsanow on Obama's record. Byron York on politics; Gary Bauer on Rick Santorum.
1/17	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Jen Rubin on the latest Presidential debate. Steve Hayes on the politics of the week. Ann Coulter on the state of the GOP race.
1/18	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Thoughts on the GOP Pres. Field and who should drop. Steve Hayward on the environment and EPA. Trey Gowdy on SC primary; Fred Barnes on politics.
1/19	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Guest host Kevin Wall

DAY	Hour	BRIEF DISCRIPTION OF TOPIC(S)/GUEST(S)
1/20	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Guest host Seth Leibsohn.
1/23	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Newt Gingrich wins SC primary. Byron York on Newt's big win. Reaction and analysis of Newt's SC win.
1/24	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	KT McFarland with the latest foreign policy news. Tom McClintock previews the SOTU address. Charlie Sykes on his new book, A Nation of Moochers.
1/25	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	James Pethokoukis reviews SOTU and economics. Rick Santorum and Newt Gingrich respond to SOTU. Rep. Tom Price rebuts the SOTU.
1/26	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Check-in Thursday with calls and news. Review and analysis of the GOP Pres. Field. Jon Kyl on national security; Mitt Romney on his race.
1/27	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn
1/30	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Preview of the Florida Primary. Grover Norquist on taxes and the economy. Byron York on the politics of the week.
1/31	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	James Capretta with the latest on ObamaCare. Charles Murray on his new book, Coming Apart. More with Charles Murray and his new book.
2/1	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Bill Kristol on Romney's big win in Florida. Mona Charen on politics and the culture. Pete Wehner on the state of the GOP race.
2/2	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Checker Finn on education and testing. Kathryn Lopez on Planned Parenthood; Pat McCrory on his race for Gov. in NC. George Allen on his race for Senate.
2/3	Hr 1 Hr2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: SETH LEIBSOHN
2/6	Hr 1 Hr2 Hr3	Romney wins Nevada Caucuses. Ephraim Kam on Israel attacking Iran. Fred Barnes on the politics of the week.
2/7	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Michael Rubin with the latest on the Middle East. Dr. Lary Arnn on his new book, "Founders Key" and Bing West on the mission in Afghanistan. Heather Mac Donald on winning the culture war.
2/8	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Peter Kirsanow on the HHS contraception mandate. Byron York on Santorum's primary wins. Santorum wins CO, MO, and MN primaries/caucuses.

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2/9	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	HHS contraception mandate controversy. Bob Kagan on the myth of American decline. Mary Fallin on OK tax reform; Rick Santorum on his race.
2/10	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Guest host: Seth Leibsohn.
2/13	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	James Capretta on HHS contraception mandate. Byron York on the politics of the week. Whitney Houston's death; Obama's budget.
2/14	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	James Pethokoukis on Obama's budget. Steve Hayward on his new book; Boy Scouts in studio. Sen. Jeff Sessions on budgets and the economy.
2/15	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Gordon Chang on Chinese VP visit to the U.S. Dr. Scott Teitelbaum on Whitney Houston's death. Marc Thiessen on HHS contraception mandate.
2/16	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	HHS contraception mandate and GOP politics. Bill Kristol on the politics/news of the week. Ron Johnson on ObamaCare; Eric Metaxas on religious freedom.
2/17	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: SETH LEIBSOHN
2/20	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Paul Ryan v.s. Tim Geithner on the federal budget David Gelernter on politics and culture. Michael Barone on GOP presidential field.
2/21	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Arizona and Michigan primary previews. Checker Finn on education; Elliott Abrams on Mid. East Jennifer Duffy on 2012 Senate races.
2/22	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Peter Kirsanow on affirmative action. Kathleen White on gas prices and energy. John King previews tonight's GOP debate in Arizona.
2/23	Hr 1 Hr2 Hr 3	George Huguely verdict. James Pethokoukis on the President's tax plan. Byron York on the AZ GOP presidential debate.
2/24	Hr 1 Hr2 Hr3	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn
2/27	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Kevin Childers on the George Huguely case. Fred Barnes on politics of the week. Gov. Rick Scott on Florida's reforms; Byron York on politics.
2/28	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: Kevin Wall

DAY	Hour	BRIEF DISCRPTION OF TOPIC(S)/GUEST(S)
2/29	Hr1	Results of the Michigan primary and Romney's win.
	Hr2	Byron York on Romney's wins in AZ and Michigan.
	Hr3	Rick Santorum with latest on his race for Pres.
3/1	Hr1	Check-in Thursday; news and politics.
	Hr2	Richard Vedder on value of a college education.
	Hr3	Steve Hayes on the politics of the week.
3/2	Hr1	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn.
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3/5	Hr1	Rush Limbaugh controversy.
	Hr2	Fred Kagan on Afghanistan and Iran.
	Hr3	Arthur Brooks on the entitlement culture in America.
3/6	Hr1	Grover Norquist on his new book.
	Hr2	Bill Kristol previews Super Tuesday; Israel vs. Iran
	Hr3	Dr. Zudhi Jasser on NYPD surveillance of Muslims.
3/7	Hr1	Marc Thiessen on Romney's Super Tuesday wins.
	Hr2	Newt Gingrich on his race for Pres.
	Hr3	Byron York on Super Tuesday results.
3/8	Hr1	Check-in Thursday; Iran hiding nukes, Syria intervention
	Hr2	Gordon Chang on Russia & China; Tom Price on ObamaCare.
	Hr3	Sen. Lindsey Graham on U.S. military intervention.
3/9	Hr1	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn
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3/12	Hr1	Peter Kirsanow on voter ID laws.
	Hr2	Pete Hegseth on his race for Senate.
	Hr3	Byron York on politics of the week.
3/13	Hr1	James Pethokoukis on the state of the economy.
	Hr2	Charles Murray on his new book, Coming Apart.
	Hr3	Steve Hayward on gas prices and Obama's energy plan.
3/14	Hr1	Jen Rubin on MI and AL primary results.
	Hr2	Nina Shea on the real "war on women"
	Hr3	Byron York on Santorum's wins in MI and AL
3/15	Hr 1	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn
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3/16	Hr1	New Paul Ryan budget; Massacre by U.S. soldier in Afgh.
	Hr2	Checker Finn on education and technology.
	Hr3	Andy McCarthy and Michael Ledeen on Syria intervention.
3/19	Hr 1	Crystal Wright on the culture and men not manning up.
	Hr 2	James Capretta on ObamaCare and SCOTUS hearings.
	Hr 3	Fred Barnes on the politics of the week.

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3/20	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Grace Marie Turner on ObamaCare. Marc Thiessen on Afghanistan and why U.S. can't retreat. Peter Roskam on Paul Ryan's new budget.
3/21	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	Michael Rubin on Gen. Allen's testimony. Byron York on Romney's win in Illinois primary. Paul Ryan on his new budget plan.
3/22	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Romney and Etch-a-Sketch comments. Reihan Salam on the value of a college education. Ron Johnson on the real price of ObamaCare.
3/23	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: Seth Leibsohn
3/26	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Gordon Chang on Obama's visit to South Korea. Bill Kristol defends Paul Ryan's budget. Byron York on the politics of the week.
3/27	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	James Capretta on SCOTUS hearings. Pat Toomey on Ryan Budget and ObamaCare. David Rivkin on ObamaCare SCOTUS hearings.
3/28	Hr1 Hr2 Hr3	GUEST HOST: STEVE HAYWARD
3/29	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	GUEST HOST: SETH LEIBSOHN.
3/30	Hr 1 Hr 2 Hr 3	Ryan Budget passes the House. David Rivkin reviews SCOTUS ObamaCare hearings. Heather Mac Donald on Trayvon Martin controversy.

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*“THE DENNIS PRAGER
SHOW”*

January – March 2012

JANUARY 2012

Monday, January 02, 2012 Radio Show

20120102 – 1 New Year's Resolutions

Dennis reveals his personal resolutions and makes the case why making resolutions is positive even if you fall short of your goals...

20120102 – 2 More Resolutions

Dennis continues his discussion of how resolutions can change your life for the better.

20120102 – 3 A Few More

States have passed over 40K laws this year. How did we ever survive without all these laws, tens of thousands every year?... Dennis resumes his discussion of resolutions.

Tuesday, January 03, 2012 Radio Show

20120103 – 1 Auspicious

There are no Americans in California. Everyone is a "something" American according to a new bill just signed by CA governor, Jerry Brown – SB 48, The Fair, Accurate, Inclusive, and Respectful Education Act. This act mandates that American history textbooks must highlight the achievements of gays and the transgendered... What did Steve Jobs' see at the end of his life?

20120103 – 2 Voting on Europe

This election is a referendum on whether or not we want to become like Europe... Did Tim Pawlenty make a big mistake, leaving the race so early... Rick Santorum has a working class appeal that the other candidates don't have... Will Ron Paul supporters vote for the Republican nominee?

20120103 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: God v. the Multi-Verse

Even atheist scientists acknowledge that the universe is so finely tuned that even the slightest variation would render life on Earth impossible. So how do they explain it? Their answer: there are an infinite number of other universes or, as they call it, the multi-verse. But do they have any proof? Of course not.

Wednesday, January 04, 2012 Radio Show

20120104 – 1 We Pick Rick

Mitt Romney won the Iowa Caucus by 8 votes, but Rick Santorum was the big winner, coming out of nowhere in the last two weeks. Dennis talks to Michael Barone, senior editor of the Washington Examiner, about last night's results...

20120104 – 2 Better to Be Free

Dennis plays excerpts from Rick Santorum's "victory" speech... Santorum has a story that appeals to core Republican voters...

20120104 – 3 Who Is Mitt?

Dennis talks to John Fund, renowned political analyst, about what happens post Iowa... Can Mitt Romney win by opposing the President, or does he need to oppose the Left?
Thursday, January 05, 2012 Radio Show

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20120105 – 1 Kodak Moment

Kodak, once a major component of the Dow Industrial average, and so much a part of American cultural history, is on the brink of bankruptcy. One can feel nostalgic, but the free market -- millions of people making free choices -- must be allowed to do its work.

20120105 – 2 Intellectually Superior?

Eugene Robinson of the Washington Post joins Alan Colmes in questioning how Rick Santorum and his wife dealt with the death of their still-born child. Is there nothing out of bounds for the Left?

20120105 – 3 Nation of Moochers

Dennis talks to Charlie Sykes, senior fellow at the Wisconsin Policy Research Institute and a talk show host at WTMJ radio in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. His new book is *A Nation of Moochers: America's Addiction to Getting Something for Nothing*.

Friday, January 06, 2012 Radio Show

20120106 – 1 Indefensible

President Obama is slashing the defense budget. This will make the US weaker... Washington Post columnist Eugene Robinson is given a chance to apologize to Rick Santorum and his wife for criticizing the way they handled the death of their child and doesn't take it...

20120106 – 2 Happiness Hour: Resolutions

The New Year is upon us. Did you make any resolutions? Dennis gives some guidelines to keeping them.

20120106 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: what does it mean that man is created in God's image; what's the difference between Left and Liberal; should we cut the defense budget.

Monday, January 09, 2012 Radio Show

20120109 – 1 Attacking Mitt from the Left

Why is Newt attacking Mitt from the Left. He sounds like a Democrat, not a Republican... Dennis reviews the first debate of two this past weekend. He has new respect for Mitt Romney.

20120109 – 2 More Debate

Dennis continues to analyze the Saturday night debate...

20120109 – 3 America Libeled

Ron Paul libeled America during Saturday's debate, this time accusing the criminal justice system being racist. Why is he standing on stage with Republicans if he thinks the country is imperialistic and racist?.. Dennis reviews the Sunday debate.

Tuesday, January 10, 2012 Radio Show

20120110 – 1 More Distortions

Republican rivals (never mind the Democratic Party) badly distort a Mitt Romney comment that he likes the freedom that allows him to fire companies that don't provide him with good service... Dennis talks to Rich Truzpek, veteran environmental consultant and senior advisor to the Heartland Institute. His new book is *Regulators Gone Wild: How the EPA is Ruining American Industry*.

20120110 – 2 Taking Pulse in NH

Dennis talks to Bill Kristol, editor and publisher of The Weekly Standard about the New Hampshire primary... The Gulf is clean. The Doomsayers got it wrong. Again.

20120110 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Values Not Theology

You may disagree with someone's theology, but don't confuse theology with values.

Wednesday, January 11, 2012

20120111 – 1 Mitt Schlag

Mitt Romney wins big in New Hampshire. He has the momentum on his side now. If he's going to be derailed it has to happen in the next primary, South Carolina... Dennis talks to Jonah Goldberg, National Review Online editor and columnist for the Los Angeles Times about NH results.

20120111 – 2 Do Women Need Men?

A woman, living in alone in New York, considers her singleness and decides that unless she can find the perfect man, she'd rather be alone. Dennis analyzes this view.

20120111 – 3 Enthusiasm Gap

Dennis talks to Dick Morris, renowned political analyst, about the New Hampshire primary... All religions have objectionable views to others... Dennis plays more highlights of Mitt Romney's victory speech.

Thursday, January 12, 2012 Radio Show

20120112 – 1 The West Is Better

Dennis talks to Ibn Warraq, visiting fellow at the Center for Law and Counterterrorism, a project of the Foundation for Defense of Democracies. His new book is *Why the West is Best: A Muslim Apostate's Defense of Liberal Democracy*.

20120112 – 2 No Violence

The LA Times is upset that someone is "slaughtering" nuke-building Iranian scientists. "Slaughtering?" Three scientists have been targeted... Dennis talks to Steve Kidera, spokesman for the Consumer Electronics Show in Las Vegas about the latest and coolest "stuff"... Chris Matthews demagogues that Republicans always have another war ready to go... A seven year-old girl dies after ingesting a peanut on a playground in Virginia. It's a

terrible, unnecessary tragedy, but should it lead to the banning of peanuts and peanut butter at every school?

20120112 – 3 Do You Get What You Pay For?

That's the common expression. But is it true? Callers weigh in. A Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on August 23, 2011.

Friday, January 13, 2012 Radio Show

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20120113 – 1 Big and Clear

Dennis reports his impressions from the Consumer Electronics Show... A few Marines urinated on the corpses of Taliban fighters. Okay, it was a bad choice, but let's not overreact... The "Bain Bomb" has blown up in Newt Gingrich's face...

20120113 – 2 Happiness Hour: Is Better Happier?

Does becoming a better person – kinder, more thoughtful – make you a happier person?

20120113 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: does life become more black and white or more gray as one grows older; why did Newt attack Mitt over his Bain Capital days... Dennis plays jingles composed by listeners of the show's call-in numbers.

Monday, January 16, 2012 Radio Show

20120116 – 1 MLK Day

Dennis offers a tribute to the civil rights leader, Rev. ML King...The Left is as interested in prosperity as people at the equator are interested in snow shovels...

20120116 – 2 Military Sons

Dennis talks to Michael Ledeen, senior fellow at the Center for the Defense of Democracies. Contrary to Chris Matthews' accusation that Conservatives don't have any children in the military, Ledeen has two sons in the Marines... Dennis also talks to Adam Carolla, comedian and podcaster extraordinaire. He has new ebook, *Rich Man/Poor Man*.

20120116 – 3 A Zero with a Gun

It's hard to reconcile how much evil can be done by human scum like James Earl Ray or Lee Harvey Oswald. It's much easier to destroy than to build... Why are Miss America contestants being asked political questions?... Newt backs off his Bain attack.

Tuesday, January 17, 12 Radio Show

20120117 – 1 Myrtle Beach

Dennis analyzes yesterday's Republican debate. Have we seen enough to make up our minds?

20120117 -2 Jews for Joseph Smith

Dennis explains why Evangelicals Christians have a tough time with Mormonism. But cautions that it should have no impact on who Evangelicals vote for... Dennis continues to analyze the Republican debate... France is in a funk. Their social welfare state is collapsing...

20120117 -3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Challenges to the Bible

Dennis starts a new series dealing with modern challenges to the Bible. The first installment deals with The Flood. How could a good God kill mankind with a flood? And, why would he also kill the animals?

Wednesday, January 18, 2012 Radio Show

20120118 – 1 Good Samaritans

Dennis lost his phone and a couple of good Samaritans helped him find it... Nancy Pelosi is convinced that Republicans don't care about clean air or water... Unions in Wisconsin have succeeded in forcing WI governor, Scott Walker into a recall... Chris Matthews sees Republican racism even when it cannot be seen.

20120118 – 2 Male/Female Hour: What's the Ideal?

What is the ideal marriage arrangement? Is it sharing all obligations 50/50? Or is it Dad works/Mom stays home? Dennis offers his thoughts. So do callers.

20120118 – 3 Losing My Cool

Dennis talks to Thomas Williams, author of *Losing My Cool: How a Father's Love and 15,000 Books Beat Hip-hop Culture*. Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on April 28, 2011.

Thursday, January 19, 2012 Radio Show

20120119 - 1 Perry Out

Rick Perry has dropped out... Meanwhile, ABC has debased itself again by promoting an interview with Newt Gingrich's angry second wife... Dennis talks to journalist Eric Weiner His new book is *Man Seeks God: My Flirtations With the Divine*.

20120119 - 2 Don't Address the Truth

If a Republican candidate addresses the problems that afflict much of black life like out of wedlock births and lack of committed fathers, as Newt Gingrich has done, you're a racist. But if you don't address the problems that afflict black life, you're a racist.

20120119 – 3 California Boondoggle

California governor, Jerry Brown, wants to push ahead with the \$100b bullet train from Los Angeles to San Francisco. It won't be faster than taking a plane, but, hey, why should that be an issue... Piers Morgan accuses Republicans of being "anti-homosexual." But he doesn't give an example. Who needs examples?

Friday, January 19, 2012 Radio Show

20120120 -1 Anger at the Media

South Carolina Republicans exploded in applause when Newt Gingrich expressed bitter anger at a question about his personal life. The conservative loathing of the media is reaching a new level... Liberals, not conservatives, are drenched in race-think. Now there are "code words" that no one knows are racist, except liberals...

20120120 -2 Happiness Hour: Open Lines

Dennis opens the lines to callers for any happinesssubject on their minds. Issues raised include: do video games make kids unhappy; how do you manage your expectations; how do you keep resolutions.

20120120 -3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda for the last hour of the show week: Issues raised include: is Newt Gingrich a pompous conservative; why do liberals get so angry at their conservatives friends; are blacks disproportionately executed for murder.

Monday, January 23, 2012 Radio Show

20120123 – 1 Newt Rising

Newt won a big victory in South Carolina. Dennis analyzes it... Dennis talks to Stephen Hayes, senior editor of The Weekly Standard about the South Carolina results...

20120123 – 2 ABR

Anybody but Romney has been a theme of the primary season. Why?... Gabby Giffords resigns. Her resignation speech is both heartening and heart-breaking... The editor of the Atlanta Jewish Times writes an idiotic column calling on the Mossad to consider putting out "a hit" on the President. The editor has resigned. He should consider himself lucky if he doesn't go to jail... Dennis plays clips from Newt's victory speech.

20120123 – 3 Asymmetrical Polarization

To the Left, only the Right has moved off the center. The Left believes they're normative... The NY Times accuses Newt Gingrich of being a racist demagogue, but their "proof" is all based on distortions and willful mischaracterizations...

Tuesday, January 24, 2012 Radio Show

20120124 – 1 Florida Debate One

Mitt and Newt duke it out in the first Florida debate. Both men defended their positions well. Republicans have become too grim in the assessment of their own potential candidates – Romney, Gingrich and Santorum are all worthy and would be a huge improvement over our current President.

20120124 – 2 Being the Goat

Two football players made big errors that cost their teams a league championship. It would be sad if they were remembered for these miscues and not their positive achievements. Joe Paterno, who won more games than any coach in college football history, shouldn't be remembered for one scandal in which he was not directly involved... Republican candidates acquitted themselves with distinction last night... Every day Republicans are called racist on MSNBC...

20120124 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Capital Punishment

Dennis talks to David Dow, a professor at the University of Houston Law Center. His new book is Autobiography of an Execution. A Best of Prager Ultimate Issues Hour. Originally broadcast on February 9, 2010.

Wednesday, January 25, 2012 Radio Show

20120125 – 1 SOTU

Dennis deconstructs the President's State of the Union speech last night... Dennis also plays clips from the rebuttal from Indiana Governor, Mitch Daniels.

20120125 – 2 Male/Female: Pick Up Lines

Do pickup lines work? Callers offer some of their best (nobody said they were good); callers react.

20120125 – 3 Back to SOTU

Dennis returns to the President's State of the Union speech. The theme can be simply described as "more government; tax the rich to pay for it." More clips from Mitch Daniels, the adult.

Thursday, January 26, 2012 Radio Show

20120126 – 1 Staying on Point

The Republicans will not win if they focus their attack only on the economy... Dennis explains why America must remain the policeman of the world...

20120126 – 2 Continent of Narcissists

Dennis was on *Hannity* last night. He noted that the main issue in the coming election is whether or not we want to embrace European or American values... Alaska Airlines has offered a prayer card with its in-flight meals for 30 years. They've decided to stop because some people were "offended."

20120126 – 3 Fairness

Democrats are obsessed with tax fairness. But it cuts both ways. Is it fair that 47% of the country doesn't pay any income tax at all?.. Dennis talks to Rabbi Shmuley Boteach. His new book is *Kosher Jesus*... A death row inmate in North Carolina mocks the death penalty and taunts his victims' families.

Friday, January 27, 2012 Radio Show

20120127 – 1 Respect Fellow Republicans

Republicans have to be careful not to get too emotional about their chosen candidate. Whoever wins the nomination will need the full support of the Party.... At yet another debate, Rick Santorum had a big night, but Mitt was strong, too... 16 major scientists say that Global Warming is nothing to worry about...

20120127 – 2 Happiness Hour: Close Friends

Everyone needs close friends to confide in. Friends make life much more enjoyable. So, if you don't have one, why not?

20120127 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: what if you don't like any music of any kind; how should one react when one's lesbian relative has a child with her lesbian partner.

Monday, January 30, 2012 Radio Show

20120130 – 1 Electability

Who is the Republicans' most electable candidate? That's the key question... The President desperately needs "the youth vote." So, he panders to them with yet another unworkable, hard to decipher scheme to keep tuition costs down; the same costs the federal government have driven up with its grants and loans. He assumes that students are not smart enough to figure this out. He may be right.

20120130 – 2 Crowd Out

Government welfare programs crowd out private charity efforts. Eventually, like in Europe, citizens stop contributing to charities. They figure the government will take care of it... A young atheist in Rhode Island sues to have a non-denominational prayer taken out of her high school... Oakland's Occupy Wall Street crowd turns violent, burning an American flag and vandalizing government property. The city's Leftist mayor must wish she was dealing the Tea Party.

20120130 – 3 The Next Decade

Dennis talks to George Friedman, CEO and founder of Stratfor, a private intelligence company. His new book, now out in paperback, is *The Next Decade: Empire and Republic in a Changing World...* The courageous governor of Wisconsin, Scott Walker, must win his recall vote.

Tuesday, January 31, 2012 Radio Show

20120131 – 1 Secular Extremists

Why isn't the phrase "endowed by our creator" in the Declaration of Independence ruled a violation of the separation of Church and State? Secular extremists – the Rhode Island banner incident being just the latest example – want to drive any mention of God out of the public square.

20120131 – 2 He Who Smelt It

Dennis does not understand the need to waste money on energy policy while we're drowning in debt. What effect does it have on children who do not spend quality time with adults.

20120131 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Hating Evil

To be a moral person, one must hate evil.

FEBRUARY 2012

Wednesday, February 01, 2012 Radio Show

20120201 – 1 Romney Romp

Mitt Romney won easily, reversing his South Carolina loss to Newt Gingrich... Dennis talks to John McIntyre, co-founder of Real Clear Politics about yesterday's primary and the role of the media in discouraging good people from running for political office.

20120201 – 2 Male/Female Hour: The Marriage Killer

What is the marriage killer? According to an article in Wall Street Journal, it's not problems with money or sex. It's much more mundane: nagging.

20120201 – 3 Who Can Win?

Dennis returns to the Florida primary... Dennis talks to John Fund, senior editor of the American Spectator, about whether Mitt Romney can build on his Florida momentum.

Thursday, February 02, 2012 Radio Show

20120202 – 1 Walter Olson: Schools for Scandals

Dennis talks to Walter Olson, senior fellow at the Cato Institute. His new book is Schools for Misrule: Legal Academia and an Overlawyered America. Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on May 3, 2005.

20120202 – 2 : Is It Better for Couples to Go Bed at Same Time?

Dennis solicits his callers' opinions and gets a full range of answers – many say yes, some say no. Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on April 12, 2011.

20120202 – 3 TV Exercise Equipment

Dennis admits he's a sucker for infomercials, especially for exercise equipment. Callers are a little more cynical... Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on December 30, 2010.

Friday, February 3, 2012 Radio Show

20120203 – 1 The Sibling Effect

Dennis talks to Jeffrey Kluger, senior editor and writer at Time magazine. His new book is The Sibling Effect: What the Bonds among Brothers and Sisters Reveal about Us. Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on September 22, 2011

20120203 – 2 Happiness Hour: Seven out of Ten

If you can say that you're a consistent seven out of ten on the Happiness Scale, you're doing well. Swinging back and forth between one and ten leads to unhappiness... Don't wait for something terrific to make you happy; if nothing terrible is happening, that's a good enough reason to be happy. Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on July 20, 2007

20120203 – 3 Open Lines

This is a compilation of some of the best calls from early 2010.

Monday, February 06, 2012 Radio Show

20120206 – 1 Chief Rabbi

Dennis talks to the Chief Rabbi of the British Commonwealth, Lord Jonathan Sachs. The rabbi draws a key distinction between the USA and the UK and Europe... The President of Georgia perfectly describes why America is special.

20120206 – 2 Big Government, Big Religion

The Catholic Church has sided with the big government positions for years. Now they are reaping what they have sown as the Obama Administration tells them what they can do with their hospitals... Dennis pats himself on the back for once again predicting the Super Bowl winner... The Susan Komen Foundation crosses liberal icon, Planned Parenthood, and loses.

20120206 – 3 Coming Apart

Dennis talks to Charles Murray, senior fellow at American Enterprise Institute. His new book is *Coming Apart: The State of White America, 1960-2010*.

Tuesday, February 07, 2012 Radio Show

20120207 - 1 Is Romney a Conservative?

Can Mitt Romney clearly and with conviction convey conservative positions? And can he do it without worrying how the NY Times and the media will react? These are key questions for those who want to vote for him... Dennis talks to James Kaplan, journalist, novelist and biographer. His new book, now in paperback, is *Frank: The Voice*.

20120207 - 2 Scaremonger

The day will come and maybe soon when people stop talking about Global Warming. Scientific skepticism is growing. Europe is freezing... Dennis talks to Adam Carolla. They've added a second show to their joint appearance at the end of February... The 9th Circuit has ruled that the traditional definition of marriage is unconstitutional.

20120207 - 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Situational Ethics

There is an objective right and wrong. But ethical questions almost always have a situational context. The situation determines whether an act is right or wrong.

Wednesday, February 08, 2012 Radio Show

20120208 - 1 More of It

The 9th Circuit Court rules that CA voters can't determine the definition of marriage... Rick Santorum scored a hat trick last night, winning in Missouri, Minnesota and Colorado. The wild Republican race gets wilder.

20120208 - 2 Male/Female Hour: Separate Vacations

It's a modern phenomenon: spouses taking separate vacations. Is it a good idea? Dennis poses the question. Callers weigh in.

20120208 - 3 Mr. Fix It

Mitt Romney is not running for CEO. He has to make the moral case for free markets... The Left lurches from one inflated crisis to the next... Do Americans want to be Europe between Canada and Mexico? That's what the coming election is about.

Thursday, February 09, 2012 Radio Show

20120209 - 1 Of Gods and Men

Dennis talks about a French movie he saw last night that moved him deeply, *Of Gods and Men*. It's about French monks caught in the Algerian Islamist uprising in the mid-nineties... A librarian in a Seattle public library refuses to tell a man to stop watching hard core porn on a library computer even though it's in full view of kids. She couldn't infringe on porn-watcher's rights... 67 million Americans are dependent on government money.

20120209 - 2 Ice Mountain

More global warming news: Himalayan glaciers are doing just fine... When global warming disappears from the headlines, what will be the next scare?... Dennis talks to William Beach, Director of the Center of Data Analysis at the Heritage Foundation on how Americans

are becoming more dependent on the government... Chris Christie doesn't care if his opponents or the liberal press like him.

20120209 – 3 Bill Conti

Dennis talks to Bill Conti, famed, Academy Award-winning Hollywood composer of *Rocky* and *The Right Stuff* and many others, about movie music.

Friday, February 10, 2012 Radio Show

20120210 -1 Fifteen Tons

Fifteen tons of meth was seized at a ranch in Mexico. Our southern neighbor is turning into a narco-state. This is bad for Mexico and bad for the US... Islamists students halt filming of Egyptian TV series... A young Saudi journalist fears for his life after tweeting some doubts about Mohammed... Marco Rubio gave a rousing speech at CPAC. He "gets it."... A Virginia school districts debates whether they should ban boys dressing as girls. The ACLU opposes the idea, of course... Facebook has no women on its board. This upsets feminists.

20120210 – 2 Happiness Hour: The Happy v the Unhappy

Dennis discusses his Happiness Hour theme: the happy make the world better and the unhappy make it worse.

20120210 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: does Dennis believe in karma; what does Dennis think about the use of the word "like."

Monday, February 13, 2012 Radio Show

20120213 - 1 The Price of Fame

Whitney Houston, once the country's leading pop star, has died at 48. Fame, especially great fame, can come at a terrible price... The Catholic Church embraced ObamaCare. They are now reaping what they helped to sow... President Obama released his budget today. More of the same: spend more, tax more.

20120213 – 2 Single and Democrat

Joel Kotkin writes in Forbes that single women have become a key component of the Democratic Party. Without their votes, that party is doomed. Dennis analyzes.

20120213 – 3 Standing for an Ally

Chris Christie gave an inspiring speech about Israel last week. He understands the essentials of leadership... Are more people on the Left passionately committed to Leftism than there are people on the Right passionately committed to Conservatism?

Tuesday, February 14, 2012 Radio Show

20120214 – 1 Romantic Love

On Valentine's Day, Dennis poses the question: is there such of thing as romantic love? Or is it just a fantasy? If it does exist, is it sustainable?

20120214 -2 Greek Tragedy

The Greeks are rioting in Athens. They think things have been taken away from them. The truth is that they've been given things (government handouts) that they didn't earn. We are headed down the same road...

20120214 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Unconditional Love
Is unconditional love for your spouse desirable or destructive?

Wednesday, February 15, 2012 Radio Show

20120215 – 1 Tampa Nice

Dennis is in Tampa and has been surprised how nice everybody is. You expect it in Minneapolis, but Tampa?... We are piling debt on debt. Do we think we can keep doing it without any consequence? Apparently, the President and the Democrats do... The upcoming election is a choice between European values and American values. This is the essential argument that the Republican candidate must make... Islamists in the Maldives destroyed Buddhists statues in the Maldives National Museum just like the Taliban destroyed Buddhist statues in Afghanistan.

20120215 – 2 Male/Female Hour: Who Is More Romantic?
Conventional wisdom claims that women are more romantic than men. But is it true?

20120215 – 3 What Would You Do?

Israel is faced with a very tough choice. Iran wants to destroy it. The country's leaders have made no bones about it. They are working feverishly to get a nuclear weapon to accomplish their goal. If you were the president of Israel, what would you do to stop them?... Libya's representative to the UN expresses his hatred of gays, yet another expression of The Arab Spring... The Justice Department is blocking bone marrow donations. They think it's wrong that people get paid for making them.

Thursday, February 16, 2012 Radio Show

20120216 – 1 Freedom's Key

Dennis talks to Larry Arnn, President of Hillsdale College. His new book is *The Founders' Key: The Divine and Natural Connection Between the Declaration and the Constitution and What We Risk by Losing It*.

20120216 – 2 New Values

Are there any new values? If there are, are they worth promoting?... Dennis talks to Daniel Henninger, columnist for the Wall Street Journal. Henninger writes that Obama's budget neatly articulates the President's vision of America.

20120216 – 3 Teens and Adults

When do teens spend time with adults? Is it more or less time than the past? If it's less (as Dennis believes) what are the consequences?

Friday, February 17, 2012 Radio Show

20120217 -1 Same Sex Marriage

The New Jersey legislature approved same sex marriage in a close vote. Given what a significant social change it represents, Governor Christie wants the people of the state of get a chance to vote on it. But the Democrats won't allow it.

20120217 – 2 Happiness Hour: Many Roads to Happiness
There is not just one way to be happy. There are many.

20120217 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda for this hour. Issues raised include: should Dennis start his own Super Pac to push conservative ideas.

Monday, February 20, 2012 Radio Show

20120220 -1 The Right Stuff

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Mark starts the hour off with his memories of John Glenn's 50th anniversary of his orbit around earth. Also, are you headed for a Stay-cation this summer? With gas prices on the rise where are all the usual big oil rhetoric?

20120220 – 2 Thin Ice

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Based on Rick Santorum's recent comment about President Obama's agenda not being based on the bible, was it a critical mistake or is he still electable? Mark asks why are we concerned with finding the "Most Conservative candidate?" when what we really need is the most electable candidate.

20120220 – 3 Smilin' Faces

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Mark looks back on past Presidential elections and finds that people overwhelmingly elect the smiling, happy candidate. Anger does not translate to votes, even if it's about the right issues. Mark speculates on Romney's tactics prior to the General Election.

Tuesday, February 21, 2012 Radio Show

20120221 – 1 The Invisible Arab

Dennis talks to Marwan Bishara, Al Jazeera English's senior political analyst. His new book is The Invisible Arab: The Promise and Peril of the Arab Revolutions.

20120221 – 2 Owing the Media

President Obama says he supports the traditional definition of marriage and the media snickers. They know he's not expressing his real view which is the opposite. Rick Santorum supports the traditional definition of marriage and the media is appalled.... The media is on full attack mode, parsing Santorum's words and them distorting them to make him seem like "a radical."... Adam Carolla stops by. Why can't we make common sense judgments any more?

20120221 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: If You're Murdered...

Dennis poses an intriguing thought experiment: if you were murdered, what would you like done to your murderer? Would you wear a wrist band or have a designation on your license that would specify your wishes for your murderer? Death penalty or no death penalty.

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 Radio Show

20120222 – 1 Cetacean Rights

A group of scientists is agitating for a Declaration of Rights for Cetaceans – dolphins and whales... Ever heard of GID? You will. It's the new frontier in the war against gender distinctions. A five year old boy in England thinks he's a girl. All the power of the state is helping him affirm his "choice."

20120222 – 2 Male/Female Hour: Hiding Your Sexual Nature

Dennis poses a thorny question to men: does your wife know your male sexual nature?

20120222 – 3 Killer Whales

Dennis talks to Thomas White, Professor of Ethics at the Loyola Marymount University. He's one of authors of the Declaration of Rights for Cetaceans.

Thursday, February 23, 2012 Radio Show

20120223 – 1 No Taxes

Fifty percent of Americans don't pay income tax. This is distorting the character of the American electorate... Dennis dives in to last night's Republican debate with clips and analysis.

20120223 – 2 Debating in Mesa

Dennis continues to review the Republican debate... Chris Christie tells Warren Buffet to stop whining about his low taxes and write a big check to the government.

20120223 – 3 Kill the Fur Wearer

A radical environmentalist tries to hire a hit man to kill someone wearing fur... A new study finds that drinking diet soda increase your chance of heart attacks. But when asked why, the scientists had no answer... Dennis returns to the Republican debate, but not before another great Chris Christie clip. The subject is the President's position on same sex marriage.

Friday, February 24, 2012 Radio Show

20120224 – 1 Haircut

The Head of the European Central Bank says the "social contract" is broken and can't be repaired... Iran is planning to execute a Christian pastor for converting from Islam. Why is there no outcry in the Muslim world against this hideous injustice? Why is there no outcry in the Christian world?... The President has contempt for drilling for oil. He prefers algae...

20120224 – 2 Happiness Hour: Being Offended

If you're constantly offended, you're going to have a very hard time being happy.

20120224 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: should married men be allowed to lust; can suicide ever be moral; how does Dennis deal with jet lag; why doesn't Dennis like President's day.

Monday, February 27, 2012 Radio Show

20120227 - 1 What the Left Does Well

The Left is brilliant at ridiculing its opponents... Which Republican can win in November? That remains the key question...

20120227 – 2 Michigan or Arizona

Can Rick Santorum overcome the perception that he's too socially conservative? Can Mitt Romney convince conservatives that he's really one of them?.. A hairdresser in Santa Fe won't cut the governor of New Mexico's hair. She believes in the traditional definition of marriage...

20120227 – 3 Indoctrination Nodes

George Stephanopolous is very surprised to learn from Rick Santorum that colleges teach left wing dogma... Some NATO personnel mistakenly burn a few Korans and the President apologizes. Why?

Tuesday, February 28, 2012 Radio Show

20120228 - 1 GA\$

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis, and likes that the candidates are talking about drilling, but that's not enough. Americans will need to plan their "staycations" this summer because the price of gas continues to rise... while the Obama family is trekking all over the globe.

20120228 – 2 Robo-Rick

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. In Michigan Rick Santorum has a "robo-call" circulating that asks democrats to vote for him in today's GOP primary... one caller in Arizona says that after hearing it, he's changing his vote from Santorum to Romney. Mark is opposed to encouraging this type of mischief in a primary election.

20120228 – 3 Right to Vote

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Chris Christie says that we might be headed for a brokered convention... is this what we want? Is this a good thing? Callers weigh in.

Wednesday, February 29, 2012 Radio Show

20120229 - 1 One Giant Leap

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Mark reviews the Michigan and Arizona GOP Primary results. Did the Democrat votes affect the outcome in Michigan? Will such mischief affect results on Super Tuesday?

20120229 – 2 Christian Sharia

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. New York Times writer Bill Keller said that Rick Santorum is "...creeping up on a Christian version of Sharia law.." Mark points out that this statement is ludicrous because there is a difference between practicing religion and imposing religion.

20120229 – 3 The War on Drug Tests

Mark Taylor fills in for Dennis. Mark admits that he actually agrees with Ron Paul on something, stopping the invasive war on drugs. Citing the Constitution and what it means to live in a free society, Mark contends that the war on drugs does more damage to society than actual drug use does. Callers weigh in.

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Thursday, March 1, 2012 Radio Show

20120301 - 1 R. I. P. Breitbart

Mark Isler fills in for Dennis. Influential conservative blogger Andrew Breitbart, known for relentlessly battling the left wing media, died Thursday. Larry O'Connor joins the show to talk about his friend and their mutual respect for Dennis.

20120301 - 2 Mark's House Party

Mark Isler fills in for Dennis. Rabbi Daniel Lapin talks about why more Jews aren't conservative. In studio are Ed Ames, Clint Howard, and Morgan Brittany to talk about being conservative or religious in Hollywood. Does Mitt Romney face unwarranted opposition because he's Mormon?

20120301 - 3 The Party Continues

Mark Isler fills in for Dennis. Ann Coulter joins the panel to share her sentiments on the passing of Breitbart. Topics discussed include why there isn't more support for Mitt Romney in the GOP, who is the establishment now, and why are people so bothered by Mitt Romney's flip flopping when the result is a more conservative position?

Friday, March 02, 2012 Radio Show

20120302 - 1 June 2011 Andrew Breitbart Interview

Dennis talks to Andrew Breitbart, conservative Internet media activist and entrepreneur, about his new autobiography, *Righteous Indignation: Excuse Me While I Save the World!* A Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on June 2, 2011.

20120302 - 2 Happiness Hour: Fighting Demons

Dennis talks to Dr. Stephen Marmer, member of the clinical faculty of the UCLA Medical School and a psychiatrist in private practice in Brentwood, CA, about whether we can rid ourselves of our demons or just hope to control them? A Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on July 25, 2008.

20120302 - 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Taken from some of the best calls of 2011.

Monday, March 05, 2012 Radio Show

20120305 - 1 A Nation of Moochers

Charlie Sykes fills in for Dennis. Charlie points out that last year there were more people working for the government than in the manufacturing sector, we have become a nation of takers rather than makers. Callers weigh in.

20120305 - 2 Buying Votes

Charlie Sykes fills in for Dennis. Entitlements used to be coupled with a work component, but due to the explosion of welfare in the 60's, government assistance has become a vehicle to appease the masses. The left wing media has pounced all over Rush Limbaugh for his contraception remarks but no one on the left is being held to the fire for their hate-filled comments about the passing of Andrew Breitbart.

20120305 - 3 Buried the Lead

Charlie Sykes fills in for Dennis. Cardinal Timothy Dolan sent a letter on Friday to all the Catholic bishops of the United States stating the Catholic Church will fight President Obama's healthcare mandate that the church pay for contraceptives. Rather than cover this development, the media ran wild with Rush's insensitive comments. Also, the *Journal of Medical Ethics* says newborn babies are not "actual persons" and do not have a "moral right to life". The ethicists also argue that parents should be able to have their baby killed if it turns out to be disabled when it is born.

Tuesday, March 06, 2012 Radio Show

20120306 – 1 Dennis Back from Australia

Dennis returns to the microphone after a week lecturing in Australia. He discusses two notable deaths that occurred while he was gone – Andrew Breitbart and James Q. Wilson... Rush Limbaugh made a mistake in how he described a Georgetown law student, but the double standard deployed against conservatives who make intemperate remarks and liberals who do is glaring, to say the least...

20120306 – 2 The World of Oz

Dennis has more thoughts on Australia... It's wrong for Republicans to be in a funk about the Presidential race. You get in funk if you lose. Not before. The races for the House and Senate can't be separated from the race for President... New Orleans Saints players should be kicked out of the league if they, in fact, offered monetary rewards to teammates for injuring opposing players.

20120306 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Godophobia

Radical Muslims are driving many people – Muslims and non-Muslims alike – to atheism.

Wednesday, March 07, 2012 Radio Show

20120307 – 1 Santaromneyich

Wouldn't it be great if we could combine the best qualities of the three leading candidates? Of course it would, but we live in the real world. So grow up Republicans and get out of your funk...

20120307 – 2 Male/Female Hour: Husband as Sidekick

Dennis relates a conversation with a career woman who talked incessantly about her children, but never mentioned her husband. If a spouse puts the kids before the spouse, the marriage will suffer.

20120307 – 3 London Calling

James Cameron, PM of the UK, warns his country that Iran wants ICBM's that can deliver warheads to London. Jew haters never stop with Jews... Dennis talks to John Fund, renown political analyst and National Review contributor about Super Tuesday and about never-ending affirmative action.

Thursday, March 08, 2012 Radio Show

20120309 – 1 Brave Dragons

Dennis talks to Jim Yardley, international reporter of the New York Times. His new book is *Brave Dragons: A Chinese Basketball Team, an American Coach, and Two Cultures Clashing*.

20120309 – 2 Media Manipulation

Dennis talks to Mona Charen, nationally syndicated columnist, who describes her experience with creative editing by NBC News... Dennis talks to Josh Mandel who has just won the Republican nomination for Senate from Ohio. His opponent is the very liberal Democrat incumbent, Sherrod Brown.

20120309 – 3 Mandel for Senate

Dennis resumes his conversation with Josh Mandel, a young, rising star in the Republican Party... Talk about freedom is what gets conservatives worked up. Rick Santorum gets it. Mitt Romney needs to... Breitbart.com releases new footage of Barack Obama lovingly introducing the late Harvard Law Professor, Derrick Bell, one of the founders of Critical Race Theory, a legal theory that presupposes that American society is inherently racist. Why didn't the mainstream media release this information four years ago?

Friday, March 09, 2012 Radio Show

2010309 – 1 Israel Ambassador

Dennis talks to Michael Oren, Israel Ambassador to the United States and renown historian. They discuss Iran's nuclear plans and Oren's excellent piece in the Wall Street Journal about the disappearing Christian communities in the Mideast... The President and the Democrats killed the Keystone Pipeline project – again.

2010309 – 2 Happiness Hour: Making Work Fun

You spend a lot of time at your job. Can you have a good time doing your work? Dennis has some ideas.

2010309 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: how does a wife deal with a husband who compares her looks to those of other women; will Mitt Romney attract more independents than any of the other Republican candidates.

Monday, March 12, 2012 Radio Show

20120312 – 1 Massacre in Afghanistan

An Army staff sergeant went on a rampage over the weekend, massacring 16 Afghans, including women and children, according to news reports. This is a terrible development that undoes so much good so many of our soldiers have done in that benighted country... The NY Times is doing their best to keep contraception as a major issue in the Presidential campaign... Liberals are always accusing Conservatives of waging "a war against (fill in the blank)."

20120312 – 2 The WAR on Everything

Editor-in-Chief of Breitbart.com Joel Pollak joins Dennis in studio to talk about his encounter with CNN's Soledad O'Brien and Critical Race Theory. They also discuss the death of Andrew Breitbart and the future of Breitbart.com Callers weigh in.

20120312 – 3 Indoctrinated

Dennis talks about Global Warming being taught in schools. He also asks: If gay marriage has never existed in the past, then why is keeping marriage defined as a union between a man and woman the extreme position? Callers weigh in.

Tuesday, March 13, 2012 Radio Show

20120313 – 1 Stay the Course

The massacre of Afghans by a GI is a hideous crime, but it shouldn't deter us from completing our mission in Afghanistan... Bill Maher ridicules Rick Santorum for home schooling his children. Does he know anyone who has been homeschooled? Dennis has known dozens. They are among the brightest, most rounded kids he's ever met...

20120313 – 2 Voter ID's

Why aren't Republicans all over this? You need an ID to rent a hotel room, drive, and buy alcohol... why is asking someone to provide a photo ID in order to vote such an issue?

20120313 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Godforsaken

Dennis has Dinesh D'Souza on the show to talk about his new book *Godforsaken: Bad Things Happen. Is There A God Who Cares? Yes. Here's Proof*, which addresses the issue of God's existence and all the suffering in the world. Are the two mutually exclusive?

Thursday, March 15, 2012 Radio Show

20130315 – 1 Broken Seals

Dennis reviews the seals of the Ivy League schools. They are steeped in religious sentiment. Now these same colleges are steeped secularism... Meanwhile, a school in MA has renamed St. Patrick's Day. If the PC crowd had its way, there would be no holidays (as in holy days)...

20130315 – 2 NAACP Goes to UN

The venerable civil rights organization has embarrassed itself once again. This time it travels to Geneva to petition the UN to declare US voter ID laws a violation of international law... Lottery winner tries to cheat his friends... When the President says we can't drill our way to energy independence, he ignores proven reserves like shale and natural gas.

20130315 – 3 Driving Me Crazy!

Blinkers, carpooling & the fast lane, oh my! A public service of the Dennis Prager Show.

Friday, March 16, 2012 Radio Show

20120316 – 1 Flat Earth Society

Once again the President demagogues on energy, suggesting that those who don't support his futuristic policies are flat-earthers and worse... Our policy in Afghanistan is in shambles. Ever since the President said "we're gone," it's been downhill... Oil companies pay more in taxes than they receive profits... A UN official is caught in a vicious lie, defaming Israel...

20120316 – 2 Happiness Hour: Open Lines

Dennis opens up the lines to callers, something he wants to do more often this year. Issues raised include: why does a spouse cry during every argument; why is one sister happier than the other; what if you're happy, but others think you're unhappy because you have a serious demeanor.

20120316 – 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: did Dennis ever coach Little League; what do liberals mean when they call conservatives racists; how do you deal with a brother who's a serial adulterer.

Monday, March 19, 2012 Radio Show

20120319 – 1 You Don't Need a Weatherman

A male weatherman sues CBS in Los Angeles for sex discrimination. He claims he was unfairly passed over for younger, attractive women. He's right, but so what?.. The law professor who CNN's Soledad O'Brien called on to refute Joel Pollak of Breitbart.com on the meaning of Critical Race Theory turns out to fully support Pollak...

20120319 – 2 Destroy All the Churches

The Grand Mufti of Saudi Arabia has called for the destruction of all churches in the Arab World... The NAACP has to justify its existence. The only way it can do it now is to claim that the US is a racist country...

20120319 – 3 White Like Me

The Republicans dominate among white voters. Liberal writers think this is an indictment of Republicans. But why? Why isn't it an indictment of Democrats that they dominate among blacks?.. The story of the staff sergeant who murdered 16 Afghans is very disturbing because one can make so little sense of it.

Tuesday, March 20, 2012 Radio Show

20120320 – 1 Nuke or No?

Is Iran building a nuke? Or are they just bluffing? Are we fighting the last war; i.e., since Saddam didn't have WMD, Iran doesn't either... The NYT leaks a classified report saying that the US will suffer consequences if Israel bombs Iran... Piers Morgan asks Karen Santorum if her husband is "anti-woman." She handles it well.

20120320 – 2 Walk in a Mile in Her Shoes

Temple University sponsors an event where men walk in high heels for a mile to protest "gender violence."... Mitt Romney speaks truth to students at the University of Chicago and then to a female protestor at a rally in Peoria. They are two of his best moments so far.

20120320 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: The Rebellious Son

This is the second in the series of Dennis's investigations into "the difficult passages of the Bible." The topic of this hour is Deuteronomy 21:18 – the death penalty for the rebellious son. Dennis explains why this passage is not only not difficult, but a moral elevation of civilization.

Wednesday, March 21, 2012 Radio Show

20120321 – 1 Mitt Machine

Mitt Romney won a big victory in Illinois yesterday. His victory speech showcased some powerful themes... In France, the terrorist who murdered a rabbi and his sons, has been arrested in France.

20120321 – 2 Shut Down

The male response to marital unhappiness is to shut down. Dennis elaborates. Callers weigh in.

20120321 – 3 The American Case

Mitt Romney's victory was significant not only from electoral point of view, but because he made a good case for free enterprise... In NYC you can't donate food to the homeless... The President Hamid Karzai continues to make inflammatory statements, but can you blame him?...

Thursday, March 22, 2012 Radio Show

20120322 – 1 See No Evil

Why was the French Islamic terrorist allowed to roam free before he murdered a rabbi and his two sons? He had already committed numerous crimes... Dennis talks to Joseph Antos, former Assistant Director for Health and Human Resources, Congressional Budget Office and now a scholar at the American Enterprise Institute specializing in Health Care issues. The topic is Congressman Paul Ryan's new budget.

20120322 – 2 Tax the Lucky

A New York Times economics columnist says that the only way to restore economic equality to the country is to tax the lucky, that is, those who have been fortunate enough to make a lot of money... Dennis talks to Larry Arnn about Hillsdale College internet-based Constitution 101 course... Dennis talks to Adam Carolla about their new joint appearance in San Diego in early May.

20120322 – 3 Etch a Sketch

After a big win, a terrific victory speech and a significant endorsement, Mitt Romney has some wind taken out of his sails by an unfortunate statement by a top aide... A shooting in Florida of a black teenager has attracted a lot of attention. The shooter is described in the NY Times as a "white Hispanic." Since when has the NY Times used the term "white Hispanic"?

Friday, March 23, 2012 Radio Show

20120323 - 1 Tragedy in Florida

The tragic shooting of Trayvon Martin, a black teenager in Florida, has already become an issue of Leftist mob hysteria, new proof that America is racist. Al Sharpton has rolled into town, demanding justice... English schools are banning "best friends." An American school bans hugging... Among its many failings, ObamaCare is a massive extension of government power.

20120323 - 2 Happiness Hour: When Do You Drop a Friend?

The breakup of a friendship can be very painful. How do you know when a friendship has ended?

20120323 - 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: did Dennis think we would have a nuclear war with Russia; how does Dennis beat jet lag; would Dennis consider a new motto "influence over power;" is it safe to travel to Israel.

Monday, March 26, 2012 Radio Show

20120326 – 1 Raising the Temperature

Why did the President inject himself into the Trayvon Martin case? Why did he inject himself into the Susan Fluke controversy? All he does by doing so is inflame passions. But that seems to be his purpose.

20120326 – 2 Supreme Decision

The Supreme Court will hear three days of arguments about the legality of ObamaCare. The issue is straightforward: are there any limits to government power?... A new book claims that "something came from nothing, but, of course, can't explain how... People are setting themselves on fire in Tibet to protest Chinese oppression.

20120326 – 3 Communism Is Dead; God Lives

The Pope speaks truth to the Castro brothers... New reports suggest that Trayvon Martin attacked George Zimmerman, according to authorities. Is this the real story? We don't know. But that's the point. We don't know. And the President doesn't know. So, why did he insert himself into the case?

Tuesday, March 27, 2012 Radio Show

20120327 – 1 Teens and Adults

When do teens spend time with adults? Is it more or less time than the past? If it's less (as Dennis believes) what are the consequences? A Best of Prager Hour. Originally broadcast on February 16, 2012.

20120327 – 2 Rush to Judgment

The Trayvon Martin case gets more complex as new information emerges. Still, we don't know what happened at the scene, so everyone should restrain from making judgments. The media and "black leaders" like Al Sharpton and Jesse Jackson haven't got the message... The second day of the Supreme Court's ObamaCare hearings dealt with the core issue – are there limits to the government's power?

20120327 – 3 Ultimate Issues Hour: Something from Nothing

Dennis builds on a topic he started yesterday. A new book by a prominent scientist says that something (like the universe) can come from nothing based on certain universal physical laws. But where did those laws come from? The truth is that science can't prove how the universe began. It's nonsense to suggest that it can.

Wednesday, March 28, 2012 Radio Show

20120328 – 1 Race Baiters

Illinois Congressman, Bobby Rush, put on a hoodie and dark sunglasses on the floor of Congress. This is not exceptional, but typical of the behavior of the race baiters... Dennis talks to John Eastman, Professor of Constitutional Law at Chapman University about the ObamaCare hearings at the Supreme Court.

20120328 – 2 Male/Female Hour: A Better Way to Argue

Dennis brings his motto "clarity over agreement" into the relationship arena.

20120328 – 3 Let's Riot

High school students riot in N. Miami Beach in "support" of Trayvon Martin. Sharpton and Jackson their race-baiting compatriots can be proud... A Congresswoman in Florida tells her colleagues that all black youths – men and women – are negatively profiled every day. Is it any wonder they're so angry?

Thursday, March 29, 2012 Radio Show

20120328 - 1 Peace, They Say

Dennis talks to Jay Nordlinger, senior editor National Review Online. His new book is *Peace, They Say: A History of the Nobel Peace Prize, the Most Famous and Controversial Prize in the World*. Dennis and Jay also take current politics.

20120328 – 2 The Republicans Politicized This?

The President's Deputy Campaign director accuses Republicans of politicizing the Trayvon Martin shooting. Is she serious?... Will Spike Lee pay any price for tweeting (incorrectly) George Zimmerman's home address? The answer is obvious...

20120328 – 3 2700

The NY Times claims that the 2700 page ObamaCare bill, the one that Nancy Pelosi said they had to pass to figure out what's in it, was well-crafted... If the Supreme Court rules against ObamaCare, who will benefit politically?

Friday, March 30, 2012 Radio Show

20120330- 1 Wrong Messages

The California State Assembly members wear hoodies at the state capitol. This is the image of young blacks these politicians want to promote?... Why did the NY Times invent the term White Hispanic?... Liberals have a tough time dealing with Conservative arguments. This week's Supreme Court hearings are a good example... Obama revealed much about his view of himself and the country during his open mic conversation with Russian President Medvedev.

20120330- 2 Happiness Hour: People Attraction

How many people have sour-tempered friends? The answer is very little. Dennis explains why.

20120330- 3 Open Lines

Per usual, callers set the agenda. Issues raised include: why is the left lane only for passing; how do you turn boys into men; what is the philosophy behind Prager University.