Everybody hates politicians. This shows that the real problem isn’t particular ones, but government itself. The function of government is to centralize power and impose domination: to enforce, to punish, to administer. Politicians preside over an economy more oppressive and invasive than any dictatorship could be by itself.

Individual politicians only maintain our loyalty because we fear the ones who are even worse—but we need to get rid of the means by which they rule us in the first place.