


PUNISH THE LIAR!

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Since Senator Yeghern's many "Genocide comments" are a part of history, and since Candidate Yeghern's many "Genocide comments" are a part of history, they will not be repeated here. Suffice it to say that he made them and, heeding the instructions of his Masters in Ankara, he has refused to use the "Genocide" word in his "April 24 Statement." By not using the word "Genocide" and by throwing the "Meds Yeghern" crumbs to the Armenians, the President was not making a statement to the world. He was making a statement to the Armenians, only, and was hoping that the Armenians would be so impressed with his use of two Armenian words, they would forget that he is a liar.

Had he used the word "Genocide," there would have been world-wide comment (prompted by the Turkish explosion) and publicity. By not using it, it died the death anticipated for it.

How to punish the Liar?

Give him a Republican Congress, in November!

Every Armenian in every city in every state should vote for the Republican candidate for the Senate (if there is a Senatorial race), and vote for the Republican candidate for the House of Representatives (all 435 members are up for election), and, for good measure, should vote for the Republican candidate for Governor (if there is a gubernatorial race).

Fortunately, the bulk of the Armenians live in the most populous states--California, Illinois, Michigan, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Massachusetts, Florida--for the Armenian vote to be effective.

Oh, you say, "But we have Democrat friends." And, I reply, "What good are they if they can't convince a Democrat president to keep his word?" They are lip-service friends and will now have the opportunity to show their "friendship" out of office.

Oh, you say, "But the Republicans have also lied." And, I reply, "In November, the Republicans are not being rewarded for their past votes, they are being used as messengers to the Liar in The White

Politicians of both parties must get the message that no longer will the Armenians accept being lied to out of any sense of loyalty to party. Neither party must assume the loyalty of the Armenians as a given. What happens in 2012 is of no concern, today. It is 2010 that matters. Whether or not an opposition Congress makes the Democrats re-think and whether or not the opposition Congress makes the Republicans re-think their views about the Armenians, it is essential that they be faced with the fact that the Armenians have ceased saying, "It's raining," when the politicians spit in our faces.

If the Armenians do not react strongly this November, they are simply masturbating when they keep calling for Genocide Recognition, and they deserve being lied to.

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