How To Disappear And Live Free

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INTRODUCTION:

To "live free" means to be able to control your own life and avoid violence, or the threat of violence, by others. What you do, and how you do it, will almost always determine whether or not freedom will be yours. You must take the responsibility for creating your own freedom. No one, especially the "government," will do it for you.

To "disappear" means to make it impossible for other people to invade your personal world of freedom. Since most invasion is by means of electronic data gathering and cross-referencing, you must be able to effectively short-circuit these procedures.

The most efficient method is through the use of "alternate identification." If the new names and numbers you plug into the networks don't match the old ones, you have not only "disappeared," but have also been "reborn," and being reborn means leaving your past records, where they can no longer affect you and your lifestyle.

Such "disappearing" of individuals is obviously discomforting to institutions and governments, who are determined to control personal activities in the 'Land of the Free.' Their power depends directly on the number of people they can control [especially through computerized records].

"Disappearing" is an act of tremendous personal liberation. Free men owe very little to those who restrict opportunities on the basis of past records. When a person convicted of a felony has served his full sentence, is he then "free"? Hardly. What he will actually experience is a life sentence of second-rate opportunity.

What happens to the convict happens to everyone who has negative personal information in his "records." When it comes to live with a condemning past and ever-narrowing opportunities, it becomes easily understandable why one would be willing and anxious to change their identity and take on another.

Switching identities involves many aspects and requires careful attention to detail. At the heart of it is the attitude that a person must assume to make it work. He must forget about his "government." He must become his own government, answering only to himself, with his own rules, laws and systems of behavior. This is an existential "moment" that few are disciplined enough to experience, but it can be done. The result will be a growing detachment from 'Big Brother' and an increase of personal freedom.

The individual shouldn't worry about what would happen "if everybody else did this," because they everybody else won't. The objective is for individuals, acting as individuals, to declare their mental independence from whatever system is attempting to enslave them. As individuals, they are the best judges of what degree of slavery they can accept and how far down the road they can go before becoming robots for 'Big Brother.' Simply put, the sheep goes to slaughter and the wolf does whatever it wishes.

There are numerous intermediate tactics between total compliance and complete disappearance, such as refusing to give out your Social Security number [or giving it incorrectly], avoiding taxes, obtaining several foreign citizenships and passports, setting up bank accounts in several other countries and planning at least two routes of escape to other countries. But in the end, you will discover there really is no freedom in the world; you must create your own. You must learn how to protect your own rights as you define them. No one else will do it for you. Individuals will vary greatly in how they carry out their disappearances

Think over your situation as carefully as possible, then choose which methods are best suited for your needs. Above all, use your head, trust your hunches and instincts and thinking of yourself as separate, different and even superior to those stuck in the system. You have to become a wolf. You must stand alone to be free.

LIVING FREE:

Avoid attending church. If you must, use an alias and make contributions in cash, never by check. If you are asked by inquisitive neighbors what church you attend, name one of a different faith than theirs or deny interest completely. Give the minister totally false information about yourself, as these good folks are great gossips when approached by snoops.

Never tell neighbors where or for whom you work. Give them false information on this subject. If you are paid by check, don't deposit it in any account with your name on it. The best plan is to go to the bank on which it is drawn and cash it there. If you make a regular practice of this, avoid becoming familiar with any tellers or bank personnel. Vary the times and days you visit the bank. Visit different branches of the bank.

Be wary of answering personal ads in newspapers, as well as job offers too neatly tailored to the type of work you did before disappearing. If the ad calls for replying to a box number at the newspaper, disregard completely, as it's very likely a trap. Reply only to ads that can guarantee not having to give yourself away. If phone numbers are provided in the ad, only call from a pay phone. There's always a possibility you might be directly calling a bill collector or private investigator who can smoke you out.

For some really unique ways to find employment, Eden Press distributes "How To Steal A Job," literally every dishonest way there is to gain honest employment. With the techniques in this book, you can call all the shots. Well worth reading, even for those who already have a job.

On the job, avoid giving background information to coworkers. If you're planning to work the job for a while, make an effort to plant false and misleading information in the minds of coworkers, such as your pastimes, places to which you'd like to travel and your future plans. Insulate yourself by keeping your personal interests and ideas to yourself.

Don't subscribe to local services [newspapers, milk man, Culligan water, etc.] that are delivered by carriers, as they may learn your personal habits. Buy what you need at a local store or news stand. If necessary, subscribe under a fake name and pay by mail using money orders. Avoid membership in political groups or civic organizations. Never order utility services in your real name. Keep your name out of public records. It's very easy to file fictitious firm name statements using minimal identification. Always order merchandise by mail using an alias, paying with money orders that have a fake name on them.

Don't be obvious in your living habits. Turn your lights off at a reasonable hour, keep your stereo turned down, don't have pets that stray or annoy others and don't work on your vehicle in the open driveway. Be very careful about who you allow to come to your residence. Avoid anything unusual which might spark the interest of neighbors.

If what you do or the people with whom you interact may be interesting or memorable to others, choose to meet elsewhere. Keep your residence clean and tidy. If you live in a hotel or have nosy neighbors, always be orderly and polite to anyone you come into contact with, giving them no reason to remember you. Avoid run-ins with neighbors. Don't throw wild parties.

Avoid using banks, except for cashing checks given to you by others. Conduct your affairs with cash as often as possible. When using a money order, feel free to use a fake name. Include false account numbers and business names to make it seem legit. Avoid using credit whenever possible. Read the book "Credit" to see how to set up credit under a new identity.

If you are called on to provide information for a death certificate, only give the information needed.

If you need the services of a physician, dentist, hospital, *etc.*, use an alias and a fake address. Always pay in cash. Recite [don't display] a false driver's license number and Social Security number. Other data [employer, birth date, *etc.*] should be false and misleading.

Have your mail sent to a 24-hour Post Office box or use a mail forwarding service. Never sign for certified or registered mail, telling the carrier that you are not the person named on the receipt, or that they moved long ago. If you receive suspicious or unfamiliar mail, mark it "UNKNOWN" or "RETURN TO SENDER" and deposit in a public mail box for return. If you have a trusted person forward items to your P.O. box or mail forwarding service, have them place the letter in another envelope, so that no forwarding instructions can be seen.

Never call someone collect, as it can be used to ascertain your location. Don't tell relatives where you can be reached.

After changing your identity, avoid commercial establishments and organizations that you used to frequent. If you need prescriptions filled after changing your identity, get them filled by a new pharmacy, giving the pharmacist a fake address and telephone number. If possible, have it filled through the mail by a large, interstate mail-order pharmacy.

Avoid contact with law enforcement. Never exhibit socially unacceptable behavior. If you are stopped and questioned, always give a reasonable explanation of why you where there, where you are from and where you are going. Smile and be helpful, as a bad attitude can trigger the cops. When confronted by federal agents or law enforcement officers, you are under no obligation to talk to them. If you do, don't lie. Remain silent. Instruct officers to take up the matter with your attorney, providing the cops with their contact information. If you don't have an attorney, tell the cops you are in the process of obtaining one and that you will notify them when you do.

Avoid walking alone late at night and wearing weather-inappropriate or oversized clothing.

Living in a large city provides additional anonymity. Appear to be lower-middle class in your standard of living. Don't attract the attention given to the very poor or the obviously well-off. Rent a respectable house or apartment, but no more plush than the average cop can afford.

Have a standard set of conventional answers to common questions which you can easily deliver without discomfort or concern, but be as vague as possible Plausible lies arouse less suspicion than self-righteous silence. The object is to avoid suspicion, so be reasonable.

Any activity which might attract unfavorable attention [writing, nude photography, erotic sculpture, *etc.*] should be done under a pen name. Provide a separate P.O. box for such names.

Never express controversial opinions around your residence or at work.

Avoid being fingerprinted. Don't apply for civil service jobs. or the armed forces. Don't apply for security clearances or seek employment in firms which routinely fingerprint. Don't take part in mass demonstrations or dissident activities which might lead to mass arrests, as fingerprinting will surely follow. Many states require a thumbprint on applications for drivers licenses. Make your thumbprint worthless by pressing extra hard, making a twisting movement with the thumb as it is being printed. The result is a worthless smudge.

If you buy real estate, use a fake name created specifically for that purpose, a relative's name or the name of a fake businesses.

If you vote, use a fake address. Voter ID cards are easy to obtain, as no proof of identity is required.

Protect the names and contact information of your friends and relatives, using a code of your own making to disguise names and numbers, memorizing what you need to know. Avoid carrying the coded address book with you. Keep it in a safe place.

Don't ask questions which intrude on the privacy of others. Ask general questions, not specific one. One might not want you to know where he works, but wouldn't mind telling you his occupation. As a general rule, if you don't feel comfortable answering a question yourself, don't ask someone else to. Adopt the attitude that personal information is no one's business but their own.

Don't request or keep receipts. Remember that cash has no names on it. Most banks record the serial numbers of large denomination bills that are deposited or withdrawn in large amounts. Transactions of \$10,000 or more are reported to the IRS, so play small and remain inconspicuous.

When it comes to income taxes, pay only what you are liable for. Take advantage of loopholes, with the ultimate aim of paying no tax whatsoever. If you're thinking of relocating, remember that Texas and Nevada have no state income taxes.

Sales and use taxes can be avoided by buying items through personal channels [friends, bazaars, swap meets, classified ads, bartering, etc.] Out-of-state mail order purchases are exempt from local taxes. Many online purchases are exempt from state sales tax. Claiming 10 or 12 exemptions to reduce weekly withholding or getting paid in cash are ways of lessening or even eliminating the tax you pay, but isn't recommended if you plan on remaining in the same job for over a year. Maintain a minimal tax profile, but plan on earning the bulk of your income through non-recorded means, such as odd jobs for cash.

When seeking employment, you are usually asked for former job references. If you know that some of them will be negative, don't list them. For the resulting gaps in your employment history, falsify the names and addresses of your former "employers." Out-of-state references probably won't be verified

[except possibly by mail]. Prepare for this by listing a mail forwarding service's address as that of your former "employer." Notify the service of your code name [a company or "employer"]. You will then be able to rewrite you own employment history. Gaps can also be covered by using attendance at school or travel abroad as alternatives to negative job references. For local job references, a good trick is to ask [or pay] a businessman's secretary to give good information about you over the telephone.

Personal references on employment or credit applications are generally not verified. Listing a locally known doctor or minister is a safe bet. For credit references, bear in mind that places like big department stores and most credit unions will not give out information on one of their customer's or member's accounts. You can use any number of these references with impunity when applying for credit, as the lender will not be able to verify them.

Consider using a typewriter for all your correspondence, as it is impossible to be traced back to you. Handwriting can give you away. Electric machines are even more impersonal than manual, as the striking pressure is uniform for all letters. Manual typewriting can show uneven pressure on some letters. As an added layer of protection, consider mailing a Xerox copy of the letter. There will be enough distortion in the copy to make tracing it back to you extremely difficult.

When changing your identity, drop old hobbies that could provide the basis for a stakeout of your activities. If it is known that you can never pass a museum or fishing pier without indulging yourself, you give an automatic lead to those who might want to go looking for you. Changing activities can be an excellent way of building your new identity. Not only will the old ways fade faster, but your new acquaintances will provide the support and interest in creating the new identity more rapidly and completely.

When renting a new place to live, change the locks and don't give the landlord the new key. Items which might tend to give someone the wrong ideas about your identity, activities, interests, *etc.*, should be stored in sturdily constructed locked boxes. Be observant of items being rearranged or moved. Take the precaution of placing hairs on door jambs, threads across the threshold, matches on tops of doors, *etc.* When choosing locks and keys, select those not readily available in the area.