Wisdom & Knowledge

Mr. Dowd wrote an article for the March-2020 edition of the American Legion Magazine titled "The Wisdom Gap"—the entirety of it is well worth your time to read, but in exampling the difference between what the Sisters write, as opposed to the mainstream propaganda media, I believe these passages are the most constructive:

Before the 20th century, human knowledge doubled every hundred years. By the middle of the 20th century, it was every 25 years.

Today, it's doubling every 13 months. In the near future, experts predict knowledge could double every 12 hours.

That's because humanity and its machines are producing 2.5 million terabytes of data per day.

To get a sense of how much information that is, a University of Oregon researcher notes that just one terabyte equals about 85 million pages of text.

What we lack amid all this information, knowledge and science is wisdom.

"While science has increased man's power in ways that former men never dreamt of," political philosopher Leo Strauss observed at the dawn of the atomic age, "it is absolutely incapable of telling men how to use that power."

That's where wisdom comes into play – indeed, where it is essential.

What today's world is really starving for is wisdom.

Just as an accumulation of information doesn't automatically yield knowledge, an accumulation of knowledge doesn't automatically yield wisdom.

In your final analysis of all I've herein related, what I hope for more than anything is that **YOU** begin to know the truth that the "distorted information" you ingest from the mainstream propaganda media is not "knowledge"—and without "knowledge" there can never be "wisdom"—and "wisdom" isn't something that can be given to you—you have to find it for yourself.

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