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We live in an age of greed and dishonesty. We have watched the poisoning of faith and belief in the legitimacy of our democracy over the last month by corrupt men like Lou Dobbs. They are nihilists. We are in a political fight that will last for a long time. [@ProjectLincoln](#) 1

I've decided to turn down the money and keep my soul.

But find out what Lou Dobbs thinks is worth \$500 million. Sign up for my free email/newsletter.

<https://t.co/e8bnQnc6zr> <https://t.co/yAWjllJFrv>

— Marc E. Elias ([@marceelias](#)) [December 8, 2020](#)

Will be tuning up for that long fight. [@reedgalen](#) built an organization with millions of social media followers and more than half a million contributors. Everyday [@TheRickWilson](#) [@stuartstevens](#) [@reedgalen](#) and I are focused on building this organization to oppose the 2.

corrupt and dishonest cult of personality that has taken root in this country. We will make no accommodation with the assemblage of UN-democratic extremist groups from proud boy fascists and white nationalists and extremist militias that Trump and his disgraceful party have 3.

Embraced and encouraged. We will stand for American democracy and the rule of law. We will be in the fight and hope all of you will be also. Trump's coup failed. The next one might not. We will be proud to stand as allies to [@JoeBiden](#) and to continue to play a small role in 4.

a mighty coalition. An American coalition. From [@SenSanders](#) to [@ProjectLincoln](#) democracies friends found each other. A great and broad coalition of the decent struck down Trump's rancid and lethal regime. His lawless White House has fallen. We have a chance to begin to fix this 5

But we must work together and stay both vigilant and United in opposing a very real threat to the ideas and ideals of American liberty. [@ProjectLincoln](#) was deeply proud to be recognized by [@adage](#) today for it's advertising work. [@reedgalen](#) [@TheRickWilson](#) [@stuartstevens](#) are so 6.

Proud of all the young people who made it happen. For example, our merchandising operation was run by a 22 year old new college graduate @Philip_Germain. He built something from scratch that fulfilled over 80,000 orders over a few months. One of the most gratifying parts 7.

Of @projectlincoln was giving space and opportunity for the young people involved to participate and advance their careers. I know when they look back this will be both a memorable and important experience. We will always stand and fight on the side of American democracy and 8.

Will continue to build an organization that belongs to all of the people who gave a little of themselves to a cause greater than all of us. That cause and the the fight for it has been the great privilege of our lives. When @reedgalen @TheRickWilson @jwgop and I sat down and 9.

Conceived the Lincoln Project none of us could have imagined what it would become. We are all filled with the deepest gratitude to everybody who joined this fight. It will continue and we intend to fight until this autocratic moment is buried in the ground of American liberty. 10