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Interesting how the shift in the 'pubs message is now "hey, lets get unified". And do that by trying, yet again, to elude consequences...and investigation, into what happened.
We have tried that path multiple times already.
It does not work.

Rep. Jordan does not see!..
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> Rep. Jordan on potential Trump impeachment: \u2018I do not see how that unifies the country\u2019 https://t.co/GiiQtKTqvv @SundayFutures @FoxNews @Jim_Jordan
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> — Maria Bartiromo (@MariaBartiromo) January 10, 2021

Of course not. It is imperative that he not see.

Here is how it works...The way you and your team always put up a concrete wall when it comes to the relatively petty crimes some people do. They need to learn the lesson by suffering the consequences of their choices.

Consequences you absolve those who actually do deep and structural damage to the country from. At least until it cannot be ignored any longer, and you need a "sacrificial lamb".

Looking forward to seeing which 'lambs' will be offered up for this monumental moment.

Eventually

Eventually when the lesser 'lambs' are insufficient to the crime, sometimes, the responsibility finally lands on the leader, the head perp, the mob boss goes to prison after all. Or like Spiro Agnew, allowed to resign quietly... (one of the lucky ones).

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Trump has the option to resign. The quick (and cowardly) way out. It won't heal the nation as well as a deep investigation would.

However, regardless of how these next few days play out, that investigation that has been called for before Jan6 still needs to happen.
So there

still is an opportunity for the national recognition of how thick the lies and deceptions has been this entire Trump time. This coupled with the clarifying sense of just how close we came to the edge...
This is what is needed to actually come to national unity. And healing.

Not the rat plea "don't do it to me", "who could have possibly have known", "I was just following orders", or whatever escape hatch is proposed to elude the klieg light.

One example of the hypocrisy of this plea can be seen in the example of the endless, fruitless, Bengazi

hearings the 'Pub's put Hillary through. Over and over trying to find something, anything to pin on her. And when there was nothing, just do anything to create as much damage to her personally. Eventually harm & impede her campaign.
This was a stated goal.

No healing/unity

intended, or got.

Now here we have one of the most serious, momentuous events in our history, certain recent history. A break out of the underlying cancer that has been Trump and the vitriol, and fictions, he has inculcated into his believers..

Now you want to give a pass?

It is called 'consequences of your actions'. Something most people learn as a child.

The unification comes as we all confront our complicity in what has happened, what led up to it, what enabled it, and the shock of seeing it worked out.

Not trying to elude responsibility.