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government and politics should be allowed to prevail.

It seems to me we have enough problems in America without adding such a dangerous religious political mix. The true message of Christianity is brotherly love and compassion, not the hate and hard-heartedness of our home-grown Ayatollahs.

The troubled waters in which our extremist fish are fed by the economic insecurity of years of inflation and recession. When the economy is growing, people are inclined to be more tolerant and generous. But when hard times come, it's every man for himself.

What has happened, almost unnoticed in the rush of single events like Proposition 13 and resistance to desegregation, is a pattern of selfishness and withdrawal from common efforts to peacefully deal with common problems.

We must not exaggerate this pattern — it is still in its early stages and Klan bombers and intolerant groups are still in the minority. But we also must not exaggerate the ultimate danger of a pattern that threatens to move America farther from its traditional freedoms and from the goal of equality.

We must recognize the link between extremist acts and the troubled climate that fosters them. That means breaking the boom and bust economic cycle with sustained growth and jobs for all. And it means rededicating ourselves to the principles of equality and social justice.

In such a setting, racism could no longer be fashionable and the intolerant fringe would be denied the respectability they now enjoy in some places. It's up to leadership—national and local, public and private — to address this issue now, before it is too late.

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THE LAS VEGAS FIRE DEPARTMENT would like to introduce to you Senior Fire Aide Ira Johnson. Johnson, 66, has been a resident of Las Vegas for only 18 months. He was owner of a dry cleaning business for 16 years in Seattle, Washington. He attended Bob Rose Dealers School and worked as a poker dealer at the Jolly Trolley Casino on the Strip. The Las Vegas Fire Department would like to encourage every member of the community to allow our Senior Fire Aide into your home. Make your home a safer place to live by having a home survey done.

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Halloween is or should be a fun time for children. It is the responsibility of the parent to see that it is a fun time.

Clothing can and does burn, so be sure to keep children away from fireplaces, stoves, cigarettes, cigarette lighters, matches and candles. Be very careful of clothing fires since most costumes are loose fitting. When purchasing costumes,

make sure they are flame resistant, including masks, wigs and all accessories.

Never use candles to light up pumpkins or other decorations. Autumn leaves, corn stalks and berry branches, when used for fall decorations, may be a very dangerous hazard and should be kept away from heat sources, smokers, light bulbs and other possible ignition sources.

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