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Dear Nikki,

I urge you not to remove the Confederate flag from outside the capitol city of this state. The confederate flag is not a symbol of hatred, it is a symbol of our cultural identity. This symbol should not be removed because the actions of a single individual, who happened to identify with the flag, are now being used for political gain. This single individual does not represent the vast majority of people who identify with the Confederate flag, and does not represent the values which the flag embodies.

Please do not succumb to the political pressures which are demanding the removal of the flag. I ask that you stand with the conservative electorate who paraded you into victory and keep the flag in our capitol.

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 Laura [REDACTED]
 Blaine, TN · Jun 29, 2015

My flag stands for the never ending struggle against tyranny. My g-g-grandfather fought as did his brothers. They did not fight to keep men in chains, rather to free us all from our chains. I've always hated that hate groups were legally free to abuse my flag and my heritage. The resolution must be heard and must pass.

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Ellen In SC
Chapin, SC · Jun 23, 2015

I agree. Let's take the power away from those who would consider using this flag to spread hate!

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I lost family fighting for that flag and it is a symbol of hartiage not hate

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AMEN!!!! REMOVAL OF THE CONFEDERATE FLAG IS DISCRIMINATION

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Governor Haley

As of today, I am horrified that our Conservative Republicans are falling prey to a left wing socialist political agenda. The Confederate flag has nothing to do with the deaths of the 9 Christian worshipers last week at the hands of a crazy racist thug. It does however have everything to do with a political agenda. The story had not aired a few hours and the left was calling for its removal. They do not care about our people, they just care about destroying conservative America and by the looks of it, are successful.

Please do not take down the flag. I assure you there are more supporters of this flag in this state than those who want it down. The flag has nothing to do with race. Yes it is used by crazy people like the KKK, but they also use the Christian flag as well as the US Flag. When will it stop? Not here and not with this flag. This flag is a Christian flag. It is called the Confederate Battle flag and also the Christian Cross of St. Andrews. It was used by the Army of Northern Virginia with the greatest abolitionist and the savior of our nation at its helm. Robert E. Lee despised slavery, he hated it and thought it was an evil. He did not fight to keep slaves as 97% of the veterans. He saved the county when his troops asked him to keep fighting and he told them to go home and to become good citizens of this nation as they were soldiers.

A compromise or a hand shake agreement was made between two sides in this state a few years back. The flag was to be removed from the dome of the capital and placed in a position of honor at

the Confederate Memorial. This was the compromise! Our groups of southern heritage were in agreement for the most part and have learned to live with as it is a good fix. The left on the other hand, have decided to use the usual and not giving up and using the same strategies that were used against our native Americans in the phony treaties and policies. Our state flag is also a Confederate Flag are you going to allow them to remove this next?

In closing, this flag had nothing to do with the deaths of the our brothers and sisters in Christ in Charleston. Removing this flag will not solve anything but continue the hard feelings of many South Carolinians who's voices are not heard due to the liberal media not allowing them to speak. Please drop this issue, as we do not need further division in our state, a deal is a deal. It was made and we must all except that it was a happy median.

Thanks for your time and as a life time Republican voter and tax payer in South Carolina please do not fall pray to this movement. I want to go to bed tomorrow night as a proud South Carolinian. Do not compromise our heritage and the life's blood of 55,000 plus men who perished in this states service.

Dickie [REDACTED]
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I write in complete support for Governor Nikki Haley's proposal to remove the Confederate battle flag from the South Carolina state house grounds. As a student of the Civil War and the role that a battle flag was used for during that conflict, I believe that flying an Confederate infantry battle flag today at the people's house of South Carolina does a complete injustice to the historic purpose of a battle flag. A regimental or company battle flag was intended to rally the troops that were fighting under that flag. It was a source of great pride for all the members of the unit. It would have been counter-productive and strange indeed to uphold a banner that caused division among the individuals who were fighting under that flag. A battle flag held almost a mystical value and was never to be allowed to touch the ground in battle. Many soldiers gave their lives protecting and uplifting their battle flag. Flying a Confederate battle flag today at the state house in light of the divisive feelings engendered by the flag only serves to divide the citizens of South Carolina and make us a weaker state community in working and living together, not a stronger one. To do so completely defeats the very cause of the flag. We should honor the Confederate battle flag in a museum setting where the sacrifices that many soldiers, citizens, and ancestors gave in fighting can be explained fully and even celebrated. I cannot imagine that the great Confederate general, Robert E. Lee, himself, would be in support of misusing a Confederate battle flag in the way that

is currently being done today at the South Carolina state house.

Thank you for your consideration and leadership in this matter.

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Below are my views on the confederate flag, I thought your action against flying the flag at the Capital was a brave decision that showed humility. I wish you the best and thank you for reading my view on the flag. Good Luck, God Bless.

MY VIEW:

If a large portion of our society "Black People" hold a negative connotation with something with such emotion the "Confederate Flag" then other races within that same society, must in turn recognize their distain for it, rationalize it out of respect for them as fellow citizens, and take appropriate action with their feelings.

The flag obviously holds extreme emotions of sadness for the black race, and to deny that, is undermining our societies respect for each other as a whole. If we must uphold what little respect we have for each other as individual races, then we must reciprocate that respect by abolishing the confederate flag no matter how other races view that flag and for what reason they offer to keep it, for the reality of the issue, no matter which side you reside on, one side views the flag as a sign of racism, and nothing can change that fact.

The symbolism associated with the confederate flag holds different meanings for different people, regardless of the duality of the flags meanings, the core belief of the black race is a negative view, therefore as a peaceful society, those in favor of the flag, must abandon any mundane association

of grandeur the flag represents to them, in favor of abolishing the flag out of respect for one race seeing the flag as a representation of racism and or slavery.

In order to repair any relationship, give and take is at the heart of that relationship, and if you respect the counterparts in those race relationships, you must reciprocate respect, in this case, abolishing the flag is a major step to showing the black race that our nation is above honoring a flag that in turn evokes negative emotion to the point that race relations are fractured, and until at which point the white race acknowledges the flags negative meaning to the black race, abolishes the flag, our relationship remains a flawed substructure of a modern society.

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The flag had nothing to do with the incident in the church. Now you are making an issue of the flag (this is a political protest, and the people of our state has no representation with historic rights of voting).

The flag of the state of South Carolina has existed in some form since 1775, being based on one of the first Revolutionary War flags

This flag was flown in the defense of a new fortress on Sullivan's Island, when Moultrie faced off against a British fleet that hadn't lost a battle in a century.

In the 16-hour battle on June 28, 1776, the flag was shot down, but Sergeant William Jasper ran out into the open, raising it and rallying the troops until it could be mounted again. This gesture was so heroic, saving Charleston, South Carolina, from conquest for four years, that the flag came to be the symbol of the Revolution, and liberty, in the state and the new nation.

Soon popularly known as either the Liberty Flag or Moultrie Flag, it became the standard of the South Carolinian militia, and was presented in Charleston, by Major General Nathanael Greene, when that city was liberated at the end of the war. Greene described it as having been the first

American flag to fly over the South.

The palmetto was added in 1861, also a reference to Moultrie's defense of Sullivan's Island; the fortress he'd constructed had survived largely because the palmettos, laid over sand walls, were able to withstand British cannons.

According to Confederate Army Regulations infantry units were to carry only one flag, or color. In practice many units appear to have carried both a National or Battle Flag and a State flag. The Palmetto Sharpshooters along with their Battle Flag carried the State Flag.

In 1765 opponents of the 'Stamp Act' marched in protest behind a blue flag bearing three white crescents.

In 1775 Colonel William Moultrie was asked by the 'Revolutionary Council of Safety' to design a flag for the South Carolina troops. Moultrie's design had a blue field and bore a crescent or new moon. This matched the blue of the troops uniforms and the silver crescent emblem on their hats. Although there are other interpretations of the crescent one is that it represents the ornamental plate worn on a chain by officers of the time.

On 20 December 1860 with the secession of South Carolina from the Union a National flag was needed. After considering many designs the decision was to keep Moultrie's flag but to add a Palmetto tree. The addition of the tree was to signify the defense of the palmetto log fort on Sullivan's Island, 28 June 1776, just six days prior to the signing of the Declaration of Independence. The cannon balls of the British warships having little effect on the logs. (A proposition in 1899 to change the field to 'royal purple' to commemorate the Confederate dead was defeated). This flag became the National flag of the Republic of South Carolina.

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Flags depicting palmetto trees are mentioned in the South Carolina Militia Act of 1839, although these sometimes had red fields and not blue. Also in the mid 1840's the Palmetto Regiment, from the Mexican War, carried flags of this type.

A South Carolina statute states that any person who mutilates, injures or desecrates the flag, wherever displayed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. They will be punished by a fine of \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days or both

The South Carolina State Flag

Dating back to 1765, the South Carolina State Flag reminds us of its role in the American Revolution and maintains its place in the annals of the Civil War with a design that was formulated as a National banner when the state seceded from the union on December 20, 1860.

Components of the current state flag were first seen in 1765, on a banner carried by South Carolina protesters of the Stamp Act. The banner that the protesters hoisted displayed three white crescents on a blue background. Ten years later in 1775, Colonel William Moultrie was asked by the South Carolina Revolutionary Council of Safety to design a banner for the use of South Carolina troops. Colonel Moultrie chose a simple and direct design that displayed a crescent on a blue field. The new flag was the same blue color of the soldier's uniforms and the crescent echoed the symbol that the soldiers wore on the front of their caps.

Almost 100 years later, South Carolina seceded from the Union it had fought to create. A new banner was needed to fly above the newly created nation. Many designs were reviewed but the General Assembly settled on one simple change to Moultrie's Revolutionary War design. A Palmetto tree was added and centered on the blue field. The Palmetto, the South Carolina State Tree, had been attributed as instrumental in Colonel Moultrie's defense of Sullivan's Island against an attack by British warships in June, 1776. Cannonballs fired at the fort from the British ships could not destroy the walls of the fort which were built of Palmetto logs. Instead, the cannonballs simply sank into the soft, tough Palmetto wood.

The flag that flies over the state of South Carolina today is of the same design that flew over the independent South Carolina during the Civil War.

The following information was excerpted from the South Carolina Code of Laws, Titles 1, 4, 10, and 59.

**TITLE 1. ADMINISTRATION OF THE GOVERNMENT
CHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS
ARTICLE 9. STATE EMBLEMS, PLEDGE TO STATE FLAG, OFFICIAL OBSERVANCES**

SECTION 1-1-670. Official pledge to State flag.

The pledge to the flag of South Carolina shall be as follows:

"I salute the flag of South Carolina and pledge to the Palmetto State love, loyalty and faith."

**TITLE 1. ADMINISTRATION OF THE GOVERNMENT
CHAPTER 10. REMOVAL AND PLACEMENT OF CONFEDERATE FLAG**

SECTION 1-10-10. Flags authorized to be flown atop State House dome, in chambers of Senate and House of Representatives and on grounds of Capitol Complex; members' offices as "chambers"; private individual wearing, carrying or displaying flag on capitol grounds.

(A) As of 12:00 noon on the effective date of this act, and permanently thereafter, the only flags authorized to be flown atop the dome of the State House, in the chambers of the Senate and House of Representatives, and on the grounds of the Capitol Complex shall be as authorized in this section.

The flags authorized to be flown atop the dome of the State House and in the chambers of the Senate and House of Representatives are the United States Flag and the South Carolina State Flag. As of 12:00 noon on the effective date of this act, the flag authorized to be flown at a designated location on the grounds of the Capitol Complex is the South Carolina Infantry Battle Flag of the Confederate States of America [the Battle Flag of the Army of Northern Virginia (General Robert

E. Lee's Army) the South Carolina, Georgia, Florida Department version]. This flag must be flown on a flagpole located at a point on the south side of the Confederate Soldier Monument, centered on the monument, ten feet from the base of the monument at a height of thirty feet. The flagpole on which the flag is flown and the area adjacent to the monument and flagpole must be illuminated at night and an appropriate decorative iron fence must be erected around the flagpole.

The South Carolina Infantry Battle Flag of the Confederate States of America is square measuring fifty-two inches on each side, inclusive of the white border, with a St. Andrews Cross of blue, edged with white, with thirteen equal five-pointed stars, upon a red field, with the whole banner bordered in white. The blue arms of the cross are 7.5 inches wide and the white border around the flag proper is 1.5 inches wide. The stars are five-pointed, inscribed within a circle six inches in diameter, and are uniform in size.

From any funds appropriated to the Budget and Control Board, the Division of General Services of the Budget and Control Board, or its successor in interest, shall ensure that the flags authorized above shall be placed at all times as directed in this section and shall replace the flags at appropriate intervals as may be necessary due to wear.

(B) The provisions of this section may only be amended or repealed upon passage of an act which has received a two-thirds vote on the third reading of the bill in each branch of the General Assembly.

(C) The term "chambers" of the House or Senate for the purposes of this section does not include individual members' offices. The provisions of this section do not prohibit a private individual on the capitol complex grounds from wearing as a part of his clothing or carrying or displaying any type of flag including a Confederate Flag.

SECTION 1-10-20. Confederate Flags from above rostrums of Senate and House of Representatives chambers to be placed and displayed in State Museum.

The actual Confederate Flags (Naval Jack) removed from above the rostrum in the chambers of the House of Representatives and the Senate must be placed and permanently displayed in a suitable location in the State Museum.

SECTION 1-10-30. Confederate Flag from dome to be placed and displayed in State Museum.

The actual Confederate Flag (Naval Jack) which is flying on the effective date of this act and which is removed from the dome of the State House must be placed and permanently displayed in a suitable location in the State Museum.

TITLE 4. COUNTIES

CHAPTER 17. BUILDINGS AND LANDS GENERALLY

SECTION 4-17-40. State flag shall be displayed on courthouse.

The State flag shall be displayed daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon every courthouse. The officer in charge of each courthouse shall purchase a suitable flag and cause it to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds provided for maintenance of the courthouse.

**TITLE 10. PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY
CHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

SECTION 10-1-160. Display of certain flags.

(A) The United States flag and the State flag shall be flown daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon the State House, and shall be displayed above the rostrum in the chambers of the House of Representatives and the Senate and in the first floor north foyer of the State House. No other flag shall be displayed in these locations or atop the dome or roof, or within the foyers or common or public areas within the capitol building. The State Budget and Control Board shall purchase suitable flags for display at the State House locations and cause them to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds appropriated to it.

(B) The provisions of this section may only be amended or repealed upon passage of an act which has received a two-thirds vote on the third reading of the bill in each branch of the General Assembly.

(C) The term "chambers" of the House or Senate for purposes of this section does not include individual members' offices. The provisions of this section do not prohibit a private individual on the capitol complex grounds from wearing as a part of his clothing or carrying or displaying any type of flag including a Confederate Flag.

**TITLE 59. EDUCATION
CHAPTER 101. COLLEGES AND INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING GENERALLY
ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

SECTION 59-101-100. Display of United States and State flags.

The State Superintendent of Education shall make such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with the National Flag Code, for the display of the flag of the United States of America and the display of the State flag on the grounds of educational institutions supported, in whole or in part, by funds derived from this State. The person at the head of any educational institution in the State shall display the flag of the United States of America and the State flag on the grounds of educational institutions supported, in whole or in part, by funds derived from this State. The person at the head of any educational institution in the State shall display the flag of the United States of America and the State flag at such times and at such places and under such restrictions and rules as he may be directed to observe by the State Superintendent of Education.

SECTION 59-101-110. Display of State flag on buildings of State University and State colleges.

The State flag shall be displayed daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon one building of the University of South Carolina and of each State college. The officer or officers in charge of such buildings shall purchase suitable flags and cause them to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds provided for maintenance.

Ask the people of SC that shed their blood, gave their sons up for this flag. The flag has been flown for a decade. The hate groups want the flag down-HATE groups, isn't that racial? What else do these hate groups, NAACP, want of the people of SC? The flag of SC does not represent HATE, it is these groups above that HATE.

The flag is HISTORY for our state.

Other states have flags. You are not for our people of SC, but for the HATE groups, NAACP, and other people that hate the Civil War and the men who died for this State.

South Carolinians, such as Leland Summers, the head of the state's chapter of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, say the flag is about history and heritage, not hate.

"Do not associate the cowardly actions of a racist to our Confederate Banner," Summers said in a statement. "There is absolutely no link between The Charleston Massacre and The Confederate Memorial Banner. Don't try to create one."

The battle over the flag flared again nearly four decades later. In 2000, following a lengthy fight between the state and the NAACP, lawmakers reached a compromise to move the flag from the Capitol dome to a monument for Confederate soldiers on the statehouse grounds, and to replace the large flag with a smaller battle standard.

I pray you won't get reelected .

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If you truly feel that the Confederate flag should be removed because it is offensive to a group of people, then lets make sure no one is offended. Remove the American flag form all government buildings. The Native Americans could be offended, because generations of their people were killed by the army under that flag. Next we have Mexicans that could be offended because their people were killed by the army under that flag. Another group would be the Jappeneese that were killed under the flag. Also the Koreans, the Vietnamese, the Germans, Iraqis, and all other nationalities that have been killed or forced into submission by the United States under the Unites States flag. There are more people that could be offended by the American flag than the Confederate flag. If you are for removing the Confederate flag then you have to be for removing the American flag for the same reason.

Just because someone says something is offensive to them doesn't mean you have to bow down to them. If you don't like something , just ignore it. Are people that weak that they can't live with history? Should you also remove the history of the Civil War from all of the school books, because someone might be offended? It's time people grew up and looked at reality. History happened. The Confederate flag is a reminder of where we were and how far we have come.

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TO: The Honorable Nikki Haley

RE: The Confederate Flag

Wow, here we go again! Some of the U.S. Presidents were slave masters. Should we remove their pictures and statues from history books or from The U.S. State Capitol? Should we recognize U.S. Soldiers who fought in the Vietnam War? Should we return the land of this great nation to the Indians? Just as Germany and other countries cannot erase parts of their painful history so can't the United States. We cannot re-write history, but we can learn from our past. If we really want to prevent the next Civil War, it is imperative that we find a way to listen, talk, and work people from both sides of this racial debate and flag controversy.

This is a defining moment for the State of South Carolina. You cannot wipe out more than two hundred years of history overnight; yet, you must find a way to unite the people across the state. Hence, for South Carolina to move forward, a sincere effort must be made to listen and work with all people; otherwise, you will only create more tension and deepen the divide in the state and across the country. It is just as dangerous to misrepresent facts of racial injustice as it is ignore racist acts. Also, it will take more than 'moving the flag' to resolve the racial problems in this country, but discussing this flag controversy and the racial tension is a good way to start. After all memorial services are held, I suggest that the state appoint a commission to meet with representatives across the state from both sides of the Flag Controversy for their opinions and

recommendations. Then ALL the people in South Carolina or their representatives should vote on this matter. Whatever happens, its the People of South Carolina who should make the FINAL decision and find a way to move forward.

In 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King stated "Now is the time to make real the promises of Democracy. . . that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights." Racism, however, is like a cancer that is eating America alive. But, EVERY African American is not a thug or criminal and EVERY White Person is not a bigot or racist. Albeit, Racism, Ethnocentrism, Stereotyping, Revenge, and Hatred are all dangerous and unproductive, regardless if the person is African American, Asian Hispanic, White, Black or White.

For many reasons, I do find the Confederate Flag flying on the TOP of the State Capitol to be very offensive. Nevertheless, we cannot and should not try rewrite any parts of our nation's history. So I can understand why some people would want the confederate flag displayed at the state capitol. Likewise, I can also understand those who are deeply offended by the sight of the Confederate Flag. We should be using this opportunity to educate our children and grandchildren; otherwise, like Dylan Roof, they will only hear one side of the story. Hence, it is the responsibility of our leaders to accurately tell both sides of this story, not run from it. So, instead of hiding our past, we should use our history to become stronger and better people. Instead of hiding our past, let's stand up and face the problem.

For South Carolina and America to move forward, both sides must be willing to consider the other's view, give a little, and make some sacrifices. The challenge for all of us will be to reject revenge, aggression, and retaliation. However, if we are truly sincere about forgiving people, we must do this.

The South Lost the Civil War. So I definitely think the Confederate Flag should not be displayed on top of the State Capitol, but I can see the flag displayed in some area on the state capitol ground or somewhere near the state capitol.

Finally, Dr. Martin Luther King was about justice and reconciliation, not revenge and retaliation. He often reminded us that we must move beyond the hate and anger if we are to move forward; that we must not drink from cup of bitterness; that in our struggle for our rightful place, we must not be guilty of wrongful deeds

How we deal with this crucial issues will determine our moral health as individuals, our political health as a nation, and our prestige as leaders of the free world.

Peace Across America And The World

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As one of your voters, I am asking you to fight to keep the Confederate Battle Flag on state grounds. That flag is part of my heritage as a Southerner, South Carolinian, and descendant of Confederate Patriots. A vote to take the flag down will let the race baiters win, and the flag is not about race. There were many black soldiers fighting for the South for their beliefs of their own volition. If we buckle to every demand of haters, where will this all end? The compromise was made, and both sides should abide by it. That flag located on the state grounds did not shoot anyone. That is not the only Confederate flag that exists, and hiding it will not stop

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While I am not a resident of South Carolina, I am writing you today as an American Citizen to express disappointment in the decision to remove the Confederate Flag. I feel this is a decision that has been based purely on emotion... Rather than remove the flag, why not educate people on the true history of the flag. Yes, it has been used by mentally unstable individuals as a hate symbol, but the history of the flag shows otherwise. We cannot continue to make hasty decisions that are ultimately affecting our freedoms and liberties... because as we tread down this dangerous path, where will it stop? There is a picture of the KKK in Washington years ago flying the American Flag. Is our Nation's flag next?? It is an absolute act of evil that happened in Charleston... and from what I've seen, the citizens of Charleston have absolutely come together in a tremendous way... however, this should be something that the people vote on (not just the legislature) and not something based purely off emotion...

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Its a tragedy people lost lifes in a shooting but the flag is not to blame the confederate flag is extremely important on the history of america (Mississippi state flag shows the pride of the flag) however the major concern is methamphetamine its becoming a huge epidemic in south carolina its all over the state, South Carolina leads off the list of the top 10 states where police seized the most methamphetamine labs in 2014 with 397.now those are what was seized which means theres way more of meth activity going on not including what is being trafficed by cartels. So lets be worried about a flag from the 1800s, but allow methamphetamine to flood the citys and countys of south carolina to ruin citys towns and lifes.so lets just take a flag away a magicly everything will be better right?theres more important things to worry about like mrytle beach being ranked 11th most dangerous city in the state and closly behind is spartanburg ranked 21st most dangerous city in the us.

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Your recent cowardly decision to remove the Confederate Flag is just another example of the power of "bullying" in the country. The Confederate Flag is not to blame for the murders of innocent people by a sick, deranged man. Shall we take down the American flag because some lunatic, such as Timothy McVee, decided to murder people? These are deplorable actions of sick people, and the flag has nothing to do with it. It is disgusting that you, who once uphold the heritage value of this flag, have caved into the current climate of "political correctness." Had this murderer been shown holding an American flag, would you have banned that. Weakness is, truly, sickening.

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Ma'am,

I am one of your constituents, but I was born and raised up in Ohio, making me a 'Damn Yankee', if you will.

My reason for writing you, today, is all of the commotion about the Confederate Battle Flag. When I first moved here, in 1989, I went to Real Estate School and my first job supervisor told me that if I wanted to try to sell homes in the South, that I needed to study up on the South, in general and on South Carolina in particular, especially the Upstate region of our State, where we lived. So I went to the library and got several books on those topics and spent the weekend immersing myself in the history of our region... Strange how what I learned, from reading books written shortly before and during Lincoln's 'War Against the States', differed dramatically from what I had learned in High School, up in Ohio, in the 1960's. It appears that said history was already 'revisionist' in nature.

I learned that slavery was Not the primary cause of that war, but that State's Rights and Unfair Taxation were the true causes. I learned that Lincoln only made slavery the main issue, with his 'Emancipation Proclamation' (which only freed those slaves in the 'Rebellious States'), as a means

of keeping the European Powers out of the conflict, on the side of the Confederacy, as Europe had outlawed slavery years before. I learned that Lincoln wrote that he would neither lift a finger to save the practice of slavery, nor would he attempt to end it, but that his only concern was that the Union not dissolve on his watch. In other words he got over 500,000 Americans killed over his own ego, as the seceding States had every Constitutional right to leave a union, which they had voluntarily entered into.

I also learned that Robert E Lee wrote that if he could free all of the slaves, with the stroke of a pen, that he would do so, but that it would not avert the coming conflict. I learned that over 20,000 men and boys came down out of the mountains of North Carolina, to 'fight for Bobby Lee', most of whom had no shoes and had never even seen a black man, enslaved or otherwise. What skin had they in the fight, if it was supposedly all about slavery?

I learned that most of our history is 'Revisionist' since after the 'War of Northern Aggression' and that the 14th Amendment may not have been Constitutionally ratified, due to it's not having been voted upon by the Elected Representatives of the People, but by persons appointed to those positions by the Military Government during 'Reconstruction', most of whom were 'Carpetbaggers'.

Most of all I learned about Southern Pride, both in those old books and through my ensuing interactions with native Southerners. One such individual jumped all over me, for my saying the term 'down South' He said he was tired of everybody 'downing the South'. I had to calm him down by explaining that back home we had always referred to directions as being 'Up North', 'Down South', 'Back East' and 'Out West'. with no inference meant. I learned that most young Southerners had never even met a 'Yankee', but still blamed the woes of our nation upon us. Thankfully there were those who sought to teach a willing pupil about their beloved homeland and it's customs. While some, less enlightened, folks are still racist, I find that most are willing to live and let live, except when outside agitators come in and stir the pot, as the most Un-Reverend Al Sharpton has recently been doing, in our State, as well as our 'Lyn King' has been doing in Washington DC. The 'Three Musketeers', Obama/Soetoro, Holder and Sharpton, have set race relations back 100 years, over the term of this 'administration', destroying much of American culture in the process. Their use of 'Political Correctness' is just another way of enforcing Cultural Marxism, which is always followed by structural Marxism.

The issue of the 'Stars and Bars' flying over the State House is one such means of further destroying the individuality of the States and forcing them to comply with Federal 'diktats'. As the 'Father of the Constitution', James Madison, put it in Federalist #45; 'The powers granted the Federal Government are Few and Enumerated, while those left to the States are Numerous and Infinite'. In addition; the Ninth Amendment reads; 'The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people', coupled with the Tenth Amendment; 'The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the People', it is apparent that what we are experiencing is a covert Socialist Coup d' etat, that has ben becoming more and more overt, as the Ineligible squatter in the 'People's House' becomes more and more certain that he will not be Impeached for his 'High Crimes and Misdemeanors' against the States and the People, as well as against the Constitution.

A great many black Americans, who grew up in the South, identify with it's traditions, as well as white folks do, including venerating the Confederate Battle Flag. It's about History and Heritage, not Hatred. While we cannot erase the past, by writing revisionist history books, they are doing a good job of obfuscating the truth, which is all important, in any issue. Whenever anyone attempts to bring emotion into a logical discussion, it usually turns into a heated argument, regardless of the facts involved. Turning the logic down and the emotion up, is what our 'Racist-in-Chief' has been all about. Instead of healing the racial issues of our times, he has exaggerated them, to the point of

a race war. Given the innumerable assaults upon non blacks, by young blacks, called, variously 'The Knockout Game' or 'Polar Bear Hunting', etc., things though oftimes unreported by the 'Lame Stream Media', are growing ever more tense.

Obama/Soetoro/Soebarkah/Bounel (or Whatever his Real Name is) has been trying his utmost to stir up a race war, I believe, in order that he might be able to justify declaring Martial Law, suspending the Constitution, dismissing Congress, indefinitely postponing elections and ruling as the dictator that he would truly love to be. A brief look at some of the so called 'Executive Orders', 'Memorandum', etc., that he has signed leaves one little choice but to assume this, when faced with all of the totalitarian writs that he has signed onto, that would automatically come into effect, should he feel justified in such a declaration.

I guess my point is, that regardless of how those six (6), multi-national corporations, which own ALL of the Mainstream Media outlets in the US, present the issues of our times, they are not doing the truth, or the peace and tranquility of our country any justice by buying into the push towards diminishing the Sovereignty of this once, great nation. Inversely, they are fomenting ever more dissent, with the apparent intention of pushing things to the breaking point.

We're back to the Flag issue, again. We do Not live in any sort of 'Democracy' (mobocracy). Our nations Framers abhorred such a system of government, as being a frail institution that most times devolved into Anarchy, then further into Tyranny. Democracies function on the seesaw of emotion, eventually destroying themselves from within. The Flag issue is guaranteed to feed such emotion, especially with it's being commented upon by innumerable entities who do not live in the Southern States, but who are seeking to better position themselves for the upcoming 2016 elections.

This is a South Carolina issue, period. SC is a Sovereign State, as are all fifty (57 according to Barry/Barack Soetoro/Obama) States themselves. It isn't anyone's affair, except those who live, work, vote, raise their families and ultimately die in our State. I would suggest that a referendum be placed upon the ballot, to give the good people of our State the opportunity to decide for themselves, whether or not the Confederate Battle Flag continue to be displayed at our State House. The rest of the Country and their racist, Liberal, 'Progressive' views be damned.

Thank you for taking the time to listen to your constituency. Keep up the good work! You've got My vote, as long as you do not bend to the Cultural Marxism, aka 'Political Correctness' intended to shape and control your opinion and actions.

Sincerely,

Rocky 

cc; Rep. David Hiott
Sen. Larry Martin

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CONFEDERATE FLAG:

If the issue was being a "good State" among all States -
 i.e. removing a symbol of North versus South -

Then perhaps the issue of taking the Confederate Flag down from the Capitol Building of South Carolina "Might" make some sense.

However taking it down because some Niggers got killed is just plain stupid !!!!!!!

The Confederate Flag was never created to or intended to symbolize Slavery - except to the Niggers of America!

Why would anyone want to spend the TIME OR MONEY create any Flag of any kind to Symbolize Dumbass Niggers ?

The Confederate Flag Symbolizes the Northern States versus the Southern States - PERIOD -
 FUCKIGN PERIOD !

Forrest Gump truly said it best -
 "Stupid is as Stupid Does."

What the Whites gonna do if the Niggers demandz dat da American Flag be taken down - because it still symbolizes a Country that enslaved its peeples - FNC - you REALLY ARE A BUNCH OF DUMBASSES!

The Americans of the 21st Century really need to GROW UP and get over responding to the INCESSANT PLOY of "Slavery".
FOR WE ARE FAST BECOMING SLAVES , OURSELVES, TO THE DUMBASS MINDSET OF THE AMERICAN NIGGERS !

I never owned no slave(s) - none of my family ever owned no slave(s) - and none of my friends, acquaintances, or neighbors ever owned no fucking SLAVE(S)!

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Dear Governor,

I just wanted to encourage you and your great state to stand strong in your history and do not bow down to the pressures you are receiving from others over the flying of the Confederate Flag. I know people perceive the flag as a reminder of slavery, but the flag stands for more than a part of history that should not have happened. The flag stands for belief that we should not back down or be pushed in a direction by government that we believe to be wrong.

This amazing country was built on strong beliefs that should still be present today without ridicule, and because of those beliefs we cannot back down or be bullied by someone who feels threatened by something they do not understand. I believe in freedom of speech and expression which I may not always understand or except but I cannot hate or stop another person for what I consider to be wrong in my eyes, and no other American or group should be able to either.

I strongly support your state in its deep heritage and hope that you can stand strong in your battle against tyranny. The flag should stand.

God Bless You and America.

Eric 
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As a fellow Southerner I expected more fortitude and strength of character from you. Instead you caved to political correct pressures. I am very disappointed in you and you lost my respect. You are weak and an appeaser. The confederate battle flag is a flag that many Southerners respect and hold dear. I urge you to reconsider and leave that flag exactly where it is. Do not remove that flag. That flag has not done anything to anybody. Show some loyalty to your state.

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Hello,

I am a proud southerner. I am white & a Christian. The confederate flag has nothing to do with me or my heritage. Please take the confederate flag down. That flag does not stand for what South Carolina is today. Yes, the flag is our history, but it's 2015 and in the wake of horrible shooting, it is no longer appropriate. We are a state that values togetherness and that flag divides us.

Many Thanks,

Melanie [REDACTED]

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A compromise may work on the current issue. Replace the Confederate battle flag with the Confederate 1st national flag. The battle flag is the only flag that is used by racists. The 1st national flag was replaced by the CSA on the battlefield because at a distance it looked too much like the US flag and caused confusion. The battle flag was battlefield only. The 1st national flag is the true Stars and Bars. Flying it should satisfy the Confederate heritage constituency.

https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/d/da/Flag_of_the_Confederate_States_of_America_%281861-1863%29.svg/810px-Flag_of_the_Confederate_States_of_America_%281861-1863%29.svg.png

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With the nation in an uproar about the confederate flag removal, may I offer an alternate solution? Seeing how there are many that view the confederate flag as a symbol of hatred, has anyone ever thought of replacing the flag with another flag that is just as meaningful to the heritage of the south? There is another flag called "the bonney blue" that represents the heritage of the south just as much. Why not let that flag replace the current confederate flag. By doing this, everyone in the south could stay connected with their heritage as well as move past the symbolism that the confederate flag has come to known.

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Att: Governor"s I want to write you why every body blame flag what happen in sc God will tell you Flag dont kill poeple poeple do if do take Flag down it want stop killing Flag been there long time at end time every body will face God he will till you way you take flag. I know I live N.C. you see every thing on Earth belong to God he let us make thing the give us to use the Flag one of them every Body need to stop and read the bible like poeple said guns kill poeple guns dont poeple do guns and flag dont go out kill poeple You need stop blam the FLAG.

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I don't see the connection between the flag and what that idiot did to those people in that church. yes it was terrible what he did ,not the flag. The flag is part of history whether right or wrong that was the past and that was the way things were then. By removing the flag all those that died for the flag will now be disgraced and dishonored. You can not change history but you can effect the future. The flag is at the confederate monument where it belongs. PEOPLE NEED TO GET OVER WHAT HAPPENED IN THE PAST AND WORK ON MAKING THE FUTURE BETTER. Government needs to quit being so PC about everything that happens to appease a small minority of people. The flag did not walk in that church and kill those people but some crazy did and since he was white the flag needs to come down is ridiculous. QUIT BEING SUCH AN APEASER AND TAKE CARE OF MORE IMPORTANT THINGS ON THE AGENDA FOR YOUR STATE.

ALLAN [REDACTED]
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Dear Governor Haley,

Before explaining the purpose of my message to you, let me first say how sorry I am for the recent tragedy in Charleston and offer my sincerest condolences to the families of those that lost their lives; to the citizens of the State of South Carolina and to you, as Governor, in dealing with the aftermath of the tragedy.

Although we have never met, I have followed your achievements, as Governor of South Carolina. I am a minerals exploration geologist by education and profession, and I was born and raised in North Carolina and southwestern Virginia. As a result, I understand Southern traditions and am quite knowledgeable about Southern history. It is truly regrettable that racists and bigots have used the Confederate Battle Flag as a symbol of their misguided beliefs, and that many people unfamiliar with history relate this flag to racism and slavery. By the same token I also understand that as a result the flag causes many people a great deal of pain and angst. May I suggest that rather than display the Confederate Battle Flag at the monument located near the State Capital, that the flag be replaced by either the Confederate First National flag or the Bonnie Blue flag, since either flag would commemorate the bravery and sacrifices of Confederate veterans, and the South in general. Since these flags have never been used by racists as a symbol of their beliefs,

they should not offend anyone and yet they honor the South and southern culture and history.

Sincerely,
Raymond [REDACTED]

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Albuquerque, NM 87108

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Dear Governor,

My sympathy and prayers go out to you and your state as you deal with the violence that has happened. I want to speak out about the bringing down of the battle flag. I don't understand why you have to give in and bring it down instead of making a statement about what it really means. This would be the perfect time to educate about the war and the flag instead of lowering it. I'm sure you have studied the accurate history and not the lies that are being taught in school about the main reasons for the Civil War and Abe Lincoln's true stance on blacks. There is much to be set straight and I am very upset about how the flag get's attacked every time there is a racially motivated event. The white supremacists and KKK have abused what the flag is about therefore causing the beliefs against it. Why can't you inform and teach the public instead of giving in? The KKK fly the American flag as well, and always have. Why does it not receive negativity? The original 13 colonies were slave states. As for the Civil War, Lincoln did not free slaves in States that were not in rebellion against the north. He even offered the south to be able to keep their slaves if they would return to the union. This proves the war was not about slavery. It was a war about unfair taxation. My great great grandfather fought for the confederacy and I am very proud of that fact. I am just sad that the wrong side won. Please put the flag back up and make a statement about the truth of the flag and the war. Strike out against the KKK and there abuse of the flag.

Sincerely,
Glenn [REDACTED]
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Subject: Confederate Battle Flag

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Message:

Kim [REDACTED], SC 29651-5245 June 26, 2015 The Honorable Nikki R. Haley Governor of South Carolina 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201 Dear Governor Haley: Regarding the Confederate Battle Flag, I believe there has already been an unnecessary over reaction to the removal of the confederate flag. I moved to Charleston SC in 1988. As a transplant, I wondered why the state still flew the confederate flag as I viewed it a part of history and should be retired like other relics of the civil war, but after living in the great state of SC, I came to understand the view of the every day SC citizen. They looked at the flag as a symbol of the right of states to be autonomous by following and abiding by the constitution of the US. They did not look at it as a symbol of hatred toward people. The southern folks and SC people are proud of their heritage, country and love America, the land of the FREE! The message of the flag is states rights. Yes, People have miss used it for hatred. The person that took the lives of these innocent people in Charleston was evil. He used the flag to represent his evil. Does removing the flag make way for people not to do evil anymore? I wish!!! I also think it should be left up to the citizens to decide if the Confederate flag should be removed. So they can exercise the right they still have as individuals to choose for their state. Especially during this time in our country where that seems to stand more and more in jeopardy. Thank you for your consideration of my opinion. A proud member of National Write Your Congressman. Sincerely, Kim [REDACTED] 864 [REDACTED]

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Dear Honorable Governor Haley,

As one who holds a Ph.D. in United States history, I personally think it is a mistake to take down the Confederate Battle Flag, especially due to political pressure and expediency, not to mention the actions of one person last week. The Battle Flag is flying over a monument to the Confederate dead. You cannot celebrate these fallen men by flying the Stars & Stripes since that is the flag they fought against. In this context it is a war memorial to the dead, and it is in our tradition to fly a flag next to a war memorial. If the Battle Flag comes down fine, but then raise up the First National Flag of the Confederacy. There needs to be one form or another of the Confederate flag to honor the soldiers who gave the ultimate sacrifice for their country, which happened to be the Confederate States of America. I am proud to be a Northerner, but the Southern soldier needs to be remembered and honored in public, just like Union soldiers are in the North.

Sincerely,
 Eric [REDACTED]
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I live in the South and understand that the Confederate Flag is part of your state's history.

I find in barbaric and in extremely poor taste for the Confederate flag to be flown at your Capitol especially in light of the classy way the parties involved have handled the recent tragedy.

Take the flag down and put it in a case within the Capitol to be displayed as a "historic" item. It makes me ill to think you are flying this flag. In Arkansas where I live, that flag is displayed only by those who have a hatred for blacks and as a symbol of white supremacy. I couldn't believe it when I heard in the news that it was still being flown at your state capitol...time to come into this century and do your part to end hatred towards races...the flag needs to come down now in honor of those that recently died at the hands of someone who has such hatred...Please get the flag in a museum, not on a pole.

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Suggestion: Have a public ceremony on the capitol grounds--raise the American Flag, Raise the Confederate Flag, bring it down to half mast for 60 seconds then take it down, fold it and present it to the Governor who in turn gives it to the Mayor to give to the historical museum. Have the Confederate flag part done by uniformed members of Sons of Confederate Veterans and the American flag part done by U.S. military members. Appropriate comments would be made by major participants.

No need to comment on the recent tragedy, removing the flag from the capitol grounds speaks for itself. (A very special, prominent space should be available in the museum for the Confederate flag with appropriate historical flag facts etc.)

Just an idea--Good luck with this situation.
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As the flag now flying over the CSA monument and related historic sites in the state is NOT the flag of the Confederate States of America, but the Confederate Battle Flag, the latter should be struck and replaced with a historically correct CSA flag, regardless of the controversy. More so, this historic error needs to be corrected given that the present, Battle Flag, has come to be a symbol of race hatred and White supremacy, and has made S. Carolina, its beautiful city of Charleston, and the Republican Party the focus of so much negative world attention. The solution becomes an easy one. Replace the wrong flag now flying with the one that is the CSA flag.

Please to not place me on any continuing email list, just to become spam. Thank you.
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TO: The Honorable Nikki Haley

RE: The Confederate Flag

Some of the U.S. Presidents were slave masters. Should we remove their pictures from history books or from The U.S. State Capitol?

This is a defining moment for the State of South Carolina. You cannot wipe out more than two hundred years of history overnight; yet, you must find a way to unite the people in the state. Hence, for South Carolina to move forward, a sincere effort must be made to listen and work with all people; otherwise, you will only create more tension and deepen the divide in the state. It is just as dangerous to misrepresent facts of racial injustice as it is ignore racist acts. Also, it will take more than moving the flag to resolve the racial problems in this country, but discussing this flag controversy is a good way to start

After all memorial services are held, I suggest that you appoint a commission to meet with representatives across the state from both sides of the Flag Controversy for their opinions and recommendations. Then ALL the people in South Carolina or their representatives should vote. on this matter. Whatever happens, its the People of South Carolina who should make the FINAL decision.

In 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King stated "Now is the time to make real the promises of Democracy. . . that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable

rights." Racism, however, is like a cancer that is eating America alive. But, EVERY African American is not a thug or criminal and EVERY White Person is not a bigot or racist. Albeit, Racism, Ethnocentricism, Stereotyping, Revenge, and Hatred are all dangerous and unproductive, regardless if the person is African American, Asian Hispanic, White, Black or White.

For many reasons, I do find the Confederate Flag flying on the top of the State Capitol to be very offensive. Nevertheless, we cannot and should not try rewrite any parts of our nation's history. So I can understand why some people would want the confederate flag displayed at the state capitol. Likewise, I can also understand those who are deeply offended by the sight of the Confederate Flag. Nevertheless, we should use this as an opportunity to educate our children and grandchildren; otherwise, they will only hear one side of the story. Hence, it is the responsibility of our leaders to accurately tell both sides of this story. So, instead of hiding our past, we should use our history to become stronger and better people. Instead of hiding our past, let's face the problem. For South Carolina and America to move forward, both sides must be willing to consider the other's view, give a little, and make some sacrifices. The challenge for all of us will be to reject revenge, aggression, and retaliation.

I definitely think the Confederate Flag should not be displayed on top of the State Capitol, but I can see the flag displayed in some area on the state capitol ground or somewhere near the state capitol.

Finally, Dr. Martin Luther King often reminded us that we must move beyond the hate and anger if we are to move forward; that we must not drink from cup of bitterness; that in our struggle for our rightful place, we must not be guilty of wrongful deeds

How we deal with this crucial issues will determine our moral health as individuals, our political health as a nation, and our prestige as leaders of the free world.

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If has been stated the flag is part of state history why remove it? No one alive is "directly" affected by it. It was the symbol of what would have been a separate country had the confederacy won. It is not a direct symbol of slavery, lynchings or anything else the media and activists proclaim. If you are going to take the flag down because it is part of the history of what it say the flag represents, then all historical monuments to the abolish ion of those things should also be removed as they are reminders of that same past.

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Dear Governor; These tragic murders have nothing to do with the Confederate Flag. This is just giving legitimacy to this little murderous punk. The flag is a sign of history, Heritage, and the Americans that died during the civil war. The flag should stay

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What occurred in Charleston was a tragedy but the flag has nothing to do with it. The flag is a symbol of the south not being part of the union. There is nothing racist about it, the shooting in Charleston was a racist act. If the flag is removed then you are removing part of the south's history. People have freedom of expression and speech, they are going to do what they want when they want. There is nothing you can do about it. Leave it alone and let the south keep it's history where it belongs. What went on hundreds of years ago we can't do anything about, if you want to deny the south's history then you are denying everybody who has a right to see it.
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I just watched a man on television say the stars and bars honors his ancestors. Yet your state flag is a despicable symbol that continues to represent oppression. For the honor of 100,000 soldiers who died trying to get rid of your flag and millions of slaves who suffered because of your despicable tradition, please pull your flag down and put it in the "museum of social failures". Thanks, Glen

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Dear Governor Haley:

I have no qualms about you taking down the confederate flag but I hate the decision to do it as a result of the terrible tragedy that happened at the AME church.

A young man's decision to kill innocent, decent, God loving people had absoluteley nothing to do with the confederate flag. His depravity had everything to do with his decision.

Choosing to make a grandiose gesture that now is the time to remove the confederate flag does nothing but give credence to race baiting marxists who take every opportunity to portray white people as the devil. The confederate flag had nothing to do with this situation and the instant desperation to remove it is ignorant. And I know it is not only you. Everyone has jumped on the band wagon. Let's remove the confederate flag and prove we are not racists. We don't have to prove it: I am not responsible for what people did 100 or more years ago. Had nothing to do with it. Have black people in my family and love it. But I refuse to have white guilt over something that one lone evil racist white boy did.

Stand up for your state. Stand for the people. Don't let the hucksters come in and make this about a

nation of racists. We are not.

Thank you.

Linda [REDACTED]
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DO NOT TAKE FLAG DOWN. You were elected in part because of your position on the flag stay, now you are changing your mine. I too will change my mind in the near future. He also burned and stepped on the American Flag but I don't see everybody calling for the removal of that. Don't let one JACKASS determine decisions for us. They have already taken the Bible and Christ out of schools and everything else, people wonder what is going on with the kids these days. Put Christ back in schools, quit killing babies by the hundreds. God is going to bring more havoc if we don't wake up. Thanks for your work you have done a great job since you have been in office for the SC, don't throw it all away now.

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Dear Govonor,

I read in the morning paper where you wanted to remove the flag of the Confederacy! This is very wrong and predigest! My Great Great Grandfather and all but one of his eight boys fought for states rights! They proudly fought under that flag. Only one boy returned home without a wound. Of the nine 7 made the supreme sacrifice. It is a slap in the face of good people for you to dishonor this great flag. You polititions are so afraid of offending a few that you offend millions!!!

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Governor,

This Flag did not have anything to do with the killings of these people. I am sure that some people don't like the American Flag but you don't take it down. You can't please some people no matter what you do. They wanted the Confederate Flag off of the Capital Building and they got that done, now they want it to be gone and you are going to remove it for them. I hope you never get elected to any office again. I know if I get to vote, it will not be for YOU.

Robin [REDACTED]

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First, you have a support removing the confederate flag. History is only valid to teach where we were, and hopefully guide us to where we want to be in the Now. This flag while historic, only represents a time of separatism. This is a concept that no longer serves the greater good of all. I commend you and the stand you've taken.

Second, my husband and I travel I-26 daily in our commute to work. We live in Harleyville, and work at MUSC, Charleston. I-26 is the most dangerous, unmonitored freeway I've ever driven. I comfortable making this statement because I'm not from SC, having lived in several states in my 66 years. Law enforcement that do travel the corridor(non-State Hwy Patrol) are as abusive with the speed limit law as the regular citizen. Please focus on bringing safe passage to this portion of the I-26 corridor. It's not acceptable to ignore speeding and driving violations that put innocent citizens at risk. And it's certainly not acceptable for law enforcement to violate the very laws all citizens are to be held accountable.

Thank you for your strong support in the revolutionary stand to remove the confederate flag, and your consideration on how to improve state highways protection.

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(Please forgive the form of this letter...not sure of the proper etiquette for offering suggestions on the internet)

Governor Haley,

One solution for the Confederate Flag controversy could be to replace the "live" flag, with a bronze casting.

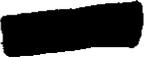
That way, a representation of the flag is frozen in time over the memorial that would honor the South Carolinians who lost their lives. It would be a snapshot in time, of what actually took place but would not continue to actively fly...as if we still have all of those beliefs from that point forward.

The current silk flag (or, the oldest one you could find) could be put in a proper setting in a museum to represent the history of the item.

Intent is a hard thing to discern. I truly believe that there are South Carolinians, and others, who love history but do not support returning to that time or that mind-frame.

I will say, I am extremely proud to be from South Carolina after seeing how Charlestonians handled our recent, horrific tragedy. The dignity and grace and unity they exuded was an example for the rest of the world to take note that...All Lives Matter!

May God guide you with all of the tough decisions that are presented to you.

~Jerry 

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Dear Governor, I propose that SC remove the Confederate flag in an orderly and ethical manner by the following method about which I tweeted you moments ago. Please have an art contest for a design of a new flag commemorating the Nine Souls who perished, and then that flag would be commissioned by the state and flown instead! The theme could be 9 Goals for 9 Souls and other goals can be added to the goal of a flag replacement. Thank you! Here in Greenville we think you're tops!

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Subject: Flag legislation

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i support your initiative to Move the Confederate flag and agree that people should be able to fly it on the own property.

i hope that the law that moves the flag includes language that protects the rights of people who choose to fly that flag or other flags on their own property.

too often we read stories of conflicts over a HOA, city or other entity trying to force someone to take down a flag

thanks in advance, James

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 Subject: Confederate flag

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The confederate flag once flew over a racist slave holding region of which South Carolina was a part. It still flies over government property in your state. In light of what happened last week in Charleston I think you should remove it from where it flies. It is a stain on your state and your administration. I lived in Selma, Alabama from 1958 to 1963. My family and I were run out of Selma by the KKK because I stood up for the rights of Black people. When those KKK members came to our back door and threatened us with violence they had the stars and bars flag with them. In my view that flag stands for racist hatred. Take it down and burn it. In the wake of Germany's defeat in 1945 the Nazi flag was banned because of what it stood for. After the war Germany was deNazified. Why do people in your state want to cling to the memory of a time during which cruel, vicious slavery was institutionalized? That memory should be erased from South Carolina just as Nazism was expunged from post war Germany.

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 Subject: Do NOT take down the Confederate Flag

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It is very sad that you have choicen to try and score political points by taking down the Confedrate flag. It is a shameful of you to do this. You have prevailed in doing the thing you said you did not won't to do. And that is divide the people more than they all ready are. OH, but that is what you politicians do right, divid people and all ways makes it us against them. What about the pain that it does to Confederate Americans to see the flag of subjugation flaying from southern state capitals. Well, I guess there pain and lose does not count. But what about this, lets take down the US flag from the state house and all state property and only fly just the state flag would not that be better? My direct ansceter the [REDACTED] governor of south carolinia [REDACTED] was a brave and and good governor. You are not. Let there be peace.....

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Your Honor,

Please reconsider this issue of removing the Confederate flag. The shooting in your state was not because the Confederate flag is flying on state property. The person who did the shooting would have done it whether or not the flag was there. You cannot predict evil. The real issue is not the Confederate flag or gun control it is mental illness and evil. I am for states rights so if the people of South Carolina want it removed then it should be removed. But it should not be removed for political gain or pressure from race mongers.

Please do not do anything in haste. Let the people decide.

Thank you.

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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I realize you are feeling Much pressure to remove the flag. Hate groups have used This flag for many years and is embarrassing to say the least. As a proud southern we need now more than ever to separate us from these hate groups. This flag is about heritage not hate. If you must remove this flag please consider a place of honor to display the heritage as southerners we are so proud of.

My prayers go out to the families of this horrible crime in Charleston.
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Subject: Confederate Flag Debate

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Governor Haley I think you are one of the best governors the state of South Carolina has had. I am in favor the majority of policies and positions you have. With that said I would like to comment on your position on the Confederate Flag. I have nothing vested in the flag remaining on the capital grounds. What I do have a vested interest in is the rights of the citizens of South Carolina. The tenth amendment to the Constitution of limits the rights of the federal government. In 2010 South Carolina enacted a States Sovereignty resolution that even further defined the rights of the federal government as viewed by the state.

I recommend the state put the fate of the Confederate Flag in the hands of the citizens of South Carolina. Conduct a statewide referendum to determine the fate of the flag. The people will have spoken. More importantly it will show outside demagogues and talking heads that the state of South Carolina is a sovereign state and we are perfectly capable of determining our own fate. Let them tend to their own states and we will tend to ours.

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Good Morning, I just wanted to ask why we lower the flag for a week due to the deaths in Charleston but we don't lower the flag when a one of our state's military members is killed in action. I don't mean to take anything away from the families of those murdered it is certainly a horrible act, but we don't seem to pay the same respect to those who die protecting the right to fly that flag either at full staff or half staff. Just curious why they don't get the same respect or in fact get a higher respect. Just felt I needed to say something since this seemed to hit a nerve for me. As a Veteran it just seems to me that when we loss a military member it is more expected and not some much respected. Thank you for hearing me out and have a great day.

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Thank you kindly for your time for reading emails . I am in favour of keeping the confederate flag flying on the state house grounds . The confederate flag has a great and proud history . I don't see the flag as a race issue, it's a historical issue . I

am not a racist because I have two friends that are coloured . Thank you for your time again, and it's a great day in South Carolina .

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Subject: Confederate Battle Flag

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Do not remove our Confederate Battle Flag from our state capitol grounds. That flag is a symbol of our ancestors who fought and died in a horrible bloody war. I have spoken to many constituents who do not want to see this happen. It is a symbol of standing up against an unjust government and a reminder of how enduring we are as a collective. If you take down that flag, you will lose my vote and my confidence along with many others.

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Subject: The issue of the Confederate flag

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Dear Governor Haley: I only wish to hopefully provide you with some information to assist you in making a decision regarding the Confederate flag and its place in your great state of South Carolina. I read a brief essay by Nate Jackson titled, "Charleston and the Confederate Flag Battle," that was posted online today at The Patriot Post. I am sure that you have a lot more resources available to you than I do, and I may be trying to provide you with information that you already know. However, I feel that what I read may not be widely known, so as a registered Republican, I am hoping to help my party prevail in this politically charged issue. The believe the country has already been divided enough along racial, economic, and political lines by our current President. I do not wish to see this matter become another divisive issue that it really does not need to be.

I am a naturalized citizen and a resident of New Jersey who greatly appreciates the history and the greatness of the United States of America. I do not see the Confederate flag as a negative symbol. I have no other connection to South Carolina other than having vacationed in Myrtle Beach and Hilton Head Island. I wish you all the best in your attempt to achieve a satisfactory result regarding the Confederate flag.

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Dear Governor Haley:

Some years ago I vowed never to set foot in South Carolina again until the confederate flag was removed from the state house. I write today to add my voice to the many who find this flag offensive and utterly wrong. I am 67 years old, white and was born and reared in Ohio. There are people here who display this flag and everyone knows what it means. It is a symbol of racism and hatred. Period. I am bewildered that you, as leader of your state, have taken such a bland, cowardly attitude toward this issue. Please assert your authority and humanity to end this outrageous display. South Carolina is a beautiful state, but that flag and the evil it represents are an ugly stain that cannot be overlooked. Its only historical significance is to remind the world that slavery was once tolerated in this country. This is not a glorious legacy, but a shameful past. Do the right thing.

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As I am sure, you have many other emails, I wanted to throw my opinion. Since we are going to remove a confederate flag, when will we drop the American Flag? It was our forefathers, who killed and took land, from the Native Americans, to create the "states" represented on the U.S. Flag?

So as, everyone is NOT offended by the cloth, when is your plans to remove the U.S. Flag?

The "cloth", makes NO choice to kill, the hearts of men is where your issue falls, in South Carolina, and across our nation.

Politicians are missing the picture...

Shon
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Governor Haley,

Wow! As I write this email, my heart is filled with joy and hope for a better South Carolina. Thank you for having the courage and compassionate leadership to recognize the need to remove the confederate flag from the state house at such a time as this. I know that this flag represents pride for some, but it also represents pain for others. This flag has been a symbol at the state house that has kept this state divided by race... but NO longer. Thank YOU!
 Removing this flag will ensure "ALL" South Carolinians that the state house representatives represent "ALL" SC people.

My family and I pray that each and every person that was killed by this young man are in a better place. We also pray that South Carolina's response to this tragedy continues to demonstrate to the world that we are one state, under God, indivisible, with justice for ALL.

My husband children and I have been praying for the young man who killed these people, as well as the people he represents, but rest in knowing that he, and others like him, do NOT represent our great state.

Thanks again for your courageous leadership.

In Christ,

Olivia [REDACTED]

Wife, mother, retired US Army soldier & current [REDACTED] student [REDACTED]

African American Christian - Not Democratic, Not Republican, Christian
Proud to say that I am from South Carolina... When I say it this time, I mean it... It's a great day in
South Carolina!!

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Subject: The Confederate battle flag and Confederate monuments

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Please resist this tide of misguided and misinformed media frenzy about the flag and our Confederate monuments. Removing the flag will solve nothing. As I have pointed out to numerous people, racism exists everywhere in the US, if removing the flag is how one removes racism, what are they going to do about the racism in California? There are no CSA flags and monuments there. The whole thing is ridiculous. And it shows a lack of respect to the fallen.

I think that the black monument adds balance and sends a positive message on the Statehouse grounds. Perhaps even some monument to Native Americans could be added somewhere.

If we remove the flag, the next insistence will be monuments. Of course, you saw what happened at the Battery. And then wanting streets and parks renamed will be next after that. This is a culture war, and the opponents will not be satisfied until they have eliminated all elements of the Confederacy and the time before that from our public consciousness.

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Dear Governor Haley:

I am an historian, a member of the AHA part time college professor and full time high school teacher. I hold a graduate degree in US History. The Flag flying by the South Carolina State House was never the flag of the Confederacy. It was a Civil War Battle Pennant. The CSA had only 11 states not 13. The pennant was never more than 24" square and had 13 stars because the armies that carried it had soldiers from the Union states of Kentucky and Missouri. It was carried officially by the Army of Northern Virginia and the Army of Alabama. Other groups carried it to honor those armies. It was created to help distinguish Confederate troops in battle as the Confederate Political flag looked too much like the Union Flag. The Confederate flag consisted of a field of blue with seven stars representing the 7 original states in the Confederacy and three Bars alternating Red and white like the Union Flag's Stripes. The Pennant became popular in the South after the Racist movie "Birth of a Nation" in the 1910s. It was then associated with the KKK. It was never a political symbol of the Old Confederacy and NEVER had a place over any government structure as it symbolizes a rally point for Not only confederate soldiers but KKK members. Modernly it has been used as a symbol to intimidate Black Americans (Jamaican and Haitian Americans are not African) It has evolved into a symbol of Racism and oppression and belongs in a museum next to the swastika and other items that did not begin as racist but have become racist symbols. Just to set the record straight I believe you are doing the right Thing!!!!

Thank YOU!
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Governor Haley, I am Very Disappointed in your actions yesterday in regards to the Confederate flag. Do you honestly think that with that flag flying we will not be a great state in the future? Yes the flag is unfortunately related to bad groups and people. But you being from South Carolina should know it means way more. I'm also disappointed that you are calling a special session for the Flag issue and not for Roads. The roads in this state are a joke to many who come here. With this state relying on car manufacturing and the jobs it provides to South Carolina. It's beyond me why these companies stay.

I feel voting for you was a mistake. Where you stand on issues as of late baffle me. I was once proud of how you stand up for your state. But recent issues such as Common Core, Our Roads and now this have changed my mind on your leadership.

Thank you for your time.

Benny [REDACTED]

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I appreciate what you are doing to get the flag down. please take it down. If I need to sign a petition I will.

As a CofC alumni and native South Carolinian, I am especially sad about the deranged gunman's actions in Charleston. I am hopeful Obama does not undo all of the good that is coming out of this. I hope the press does not idealize the gunman's actions so that more disturbed people follow suit. Please help keep this positive!!! Peace marches instead of riots, please!

One might argue that the Swastika has only been associated with hate in the form of antisemitism for the last hundred years, but I sure wouldn't bake up egg bread and welcome new neighbors flying a Nazi-looking flag over their door. I will not fly a controversial flag in my front yard, and I'd prefer my state not, either.

Thank you for your attention to the flag issue.

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Governor Haley.

Your recent endorsement of removing the Confederate battle flag from the Confederate Memorial on the grounds of the South Carolina State House is insulting to the memory of the men of SC who left their homes and families to repel an invading, hostile military force from their new country. Additionally, I'm sure there is a SC state law prohibiting the alteration of this type of memorial.

In any event, it is reprehensible for you to use the murders in Charleston, SC, to gain political points. The battle flag had NOTHING to do with the motivation of the murderer for his horrendous crime. I fully expected you to stand up for the memory of the men of South Carolina who took a courageous stand during that terrible war. Instead, you allowed yourself to be caught up in a ground swell of emotion that has clearly affected your judgment.

I have a special attachment and affinity for the Low Country of SC. I graduated from [REDACTED]

High School in Summerville, SC and earned a degree in history from the [REDACTED] Charleston, now [REDACTED] as soon as I heard of the horrendous crime, I was certain Charleston would come together and weather this tragedy in a dignified manner. The people of the Low Country are special and have a way of seeing the best way through the toughest situations. It's their common sense approach to life that enables them to do this.

You have clearly "misplaced" the clear vision necessary to see what is actually going on here. Specifically, certain people are using this horrendous murder of these black Americans to try to do away with something they only THINK they know about. They have no idea what the War For Southern Independence was fought about, but think that removing the flag honorable men followed in battle will right some kind of wrong. It's a flag. It didn't kill anyone. Don't fall prey to the hate mongers who want to re-write the history of our country for their own despicable reasons.

Once again, I suggest you contact the state Attorney General about altering the memorial. I'm sure you find it is illegal to do so.

Respectfully,

Marc S. [REDACTED]
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After listening to your comments about the flag on the capital grounds I have come to the conclusion that your ignorance is a reflection of the ignorance of the nation. That flag on the capital grounds is not the flag of the Confederate State's of America. By itself it never was. It is the flag of the Confederate Army. So, it being next to the Confederate solders memorial is the perfect place for it. Those solders that stood fought for South Carolina were willing to stand and sacrifice everything for the State that they loved so much. Instead of dishonoring them and forgetting them for the sake of moving forward, why dont you try to educate people?

My family has been in South Carolina since 1692. We have fought in every war this country has been in. Encluding me, Former petty officer, United States Navy, combat vet, Gulf War 91'. My great great grandfathers were [REDACTED] the governor of South Carolina in [REDACTED] and his son inlaw Maj Gen Matthew [REDACTED] Commanding Officer, 1st Calvary of the Army [REDACTED] We all stood and fought for the great state of South Carolina. We did it because we love it with all of our heart. So, you can take down the flag, you can dishonor them, and you can forget them. But we never will and we will and we will never again support you.

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I must comment on your desire to remove the Confederate flag - why not remove the Stars and Stripes? The Stars and Stripes initiated slavery into this country and upheld slavery far longer and far before the confederate flag was even conceived. The Confederate flag is just a scapegoat and that flag should be protected by you for those that are not racist, but that support the values, and Southern esprit de corp for which it represents.

There are far more American flag racists than there are Confederate flag racists. Racism is terrible and should not be tolerated at any level, but using the confederate flag as a scapegoat is ridiculous, and someone in your position should make the distinction as I have pointed out here.

Best wishes.

Paul █
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Vince [REDACTED]
In Memory of Spc. Benjamin [REDACTED] US Army K.I.A Afghanistan Jan. 12, 2011
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Was it just one flag not lowered or were there other flags in the world not lowered. This was not an act of racism but an act of law. And should a flag and the keepers of law be swept from the capitol because crime exists. How naive to think that because there is desention between people of varying skin tone, we have not learned anything. Should we forget those that fought for what they believed in? Do you know that no nation, plantation or community produced enough to meet all their needs before 1898? So we assume the myths we are taught should mean something. History books say we fought over slavery and cotton, but it was the slaves who created the cotton gin and the plantation owners who built it. Slaves a word as miss understood as nigger. Confederate soldiers hid behind hemp bails, cotton was to difficult a crop, so was tobacco, those were post civil war crops to insure the failure of land owners. Who had made huge investments to keep hostages taken by other black's sold to ships and their captains and those that survived could only hope to be relived of the edge of death which no doubt found most not willing to be cannibals. You cannot erase history, and you have not learned from it. South Carolina was but the circumstances of the day, who are you to judge promonent blacks surrounding you, what power do they hold that you would grasp to discuss a flag rather than the crime or the problems that lead to such a tragic event. How dare you say it was racism. It was murder, a multiple murder, no school massacure has been called an acr of racism. It's fucking tragedy and you make it worse to think it had anything to do with a flag that by law could not be lowered in memory of those that died a hundred and fifty

years ago. Have a memorial, send flowers, lament, hiding the past what will be repeated. The greatest tragedy's of the civil war came in the end when ruthless hordes of Union soldiers swept across the south killing and plunging farms and farmers already subdued. Maybe that flag on the capitol lawn flies in their memory. It is not for you to change it. It is not for you to think it responsible for a savage act. Let the investigators do their work. No decision should be made in haste or grief or your grief will be magnified. this is a hasty decision, not based on anything but emotion, if there is hatred and anger it is in those people asking you to make decisions when you are to emotional and burdened with concern to do so. This decision must wait and the past revisited to remember why it is there to begin with. An Arizonan, Alice [REDACTED] Slavery a word and custom we are so far removed from we have no understanding of it. In the past is was a necessity and then it wasn't

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Why at this time do you bring up the issue of removing the flag. People in Charleston are in morning and here you are grandstanding, something I never thought you would do. Why not wait until some of the hurt is dealt with. Why not act like the people of Charleston, come together for some healing instead you and others bring up old wounds. you know as well as I do the flag had nothing to do with this tragic event. You stood by Clyburn, who would stab you in the back if he could.

What puzzles me is that people find the Confederate Flag offensive, but say nothing about the flag that the Northern ships sailed under to bring the slaves to this country. I do not believe in slavery and it is wrong, however, had in not been for the terrible deed most of the blacks would be living in Africa under terrible conditions.

If the flag needs to come down and the people of South Carolina want it down, then it needs to come down. But not this way and this time. I am deeply hurt by your actions and very disappointed in you!!!

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Stop pandering for votes. Take time to learn the real history of the South and the reasons our Confederate Ancestors asked to leave the Union. When the flood of immigrants begin demanding removal of the US Flag, you will be just as disgusted as I am about removal of the Confederate Flag. Don't make a knee jerk reaction. Leave the flag where it is. Removal of the flag is only the first step. Everything Confederate will be on the chopping block. Take time to have an honest debate. Don't let outside agitators affect your vote.

Your call to remove the Confederate Flag was disgusting. I do not know what political ambitions you have in mind but do not count on me. Pandering for votes and listening to outside agitators makes me feel about your office just as you felt about the State House----Take a Bath!
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Dear Ms Haley:

I fail to see what the act comitted by Dylan Roof has to do with the Confederate battle flag on that monument. Many in the South including your state honor that flag and the men who fought and died under it. Liberals try to take down old symbols for the sole purpose of demonstrating their power over us. It is often said to be inevitable. I reject that entirely. The flag is a part of history, and is at a war memorial where it should be. It has already been removed from the dome to appease those who cannot be appeased. When they get rid of all Confederate symbols, they will attack American (U.S.) symbols and they will not be happy until the hammer and sickle, or worse, the flag of ISIS flies over America. Because that's what they are, Marxists to the core. Do the investigation. You will find that the biggest trouble makers are probably bussed in, paid for by billionaire trouble makers like George Soros, they all should be arrested for his subversive activities. These jerks should be stood up to, not appeased. Don't take down that flag.

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Dear Governor:

While I am a Connecticut resident I did wish to say how grateful I am for your leadership in this difficult matter of removing the Confederate flag from he State House. I do realize the pride many Southerners have in the bravery and loyalty their ancestors brought to a cause they believed right. While I do not in any way regard the slavery issue as right, I gather that for most Southerners of that era the "cause" was more one a matter of what they regarded as state's rights, rather than slavery itself. All too often, too many "Northerners" forget that for Union soldiers the "cause" they fought for was not the freeing of slaves (though for many it was), it was for the preservation of the Union,or the simple fact that they were drafted.

But in removing of the flag, being Governor of the very state where the war began, is a mark of leadership. I see no stain on your action, nor do I see any stain in most Southerners who feel that they retain a pride in the men and women who fought under that flag. Such pride is less a matter of advocating slavery as it is honoring the people who lived, died and fought under that flag.

But it is time that all be brought into true perspective. If anyone dishonored the flag is was the person who murdered innocent people who took him into their church. It was his actions and the actions of all those who caused untold suffering of a people because of race or religion and who bring dishonor to any Southerner of understand human decency and goodness and the religion many regard as theirs. I believe that any true southerner,any true American (Which is what we all

are) can bring the same courage to today's needs of country that those who fought and died brought to what they believed was right in heir day. My best to you, John [REDACTED]
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Dear Governor Haley

I cannot express how dissappointed I am in your public display and total disregard of our history here in the South. I lived in Charleston for several years and went through Hurrricane Hugo. I loved that city and loved the state but if I were still living there I would be making it my lifes work to get you defeated in any public office you might choose to seek in the future.

The Confederate Flag had about as much to do with that insane maggot murdering all those folks as my dog has making decisions of what flavors Purina needs to produce. What it the name of Hell are you doing wanting to remove the flag from public view? Have you just completly lost your mind and sense of Southern Pride along with your common sense. This flag is a part of our history and by removing it you will be complicit in removing a part of our history and become just another proponet of revisionist history. What are you going to want next? That we in the South stop speaking with Southern Accents because that might offend someone?

Lindsey Graham is a disgrace to South Carolina and a closet RINO and I am beginning to think you are cut from the same cloth if you continue in your pursuit to remove ANY symbol which is a part of our history here in the South.

You are using the same logic that these anti gun whackos use that want to take our guns away. If I just take down this flag, this will cure all the bad feelings the blacks have against us whites for slavery and we will all hold hands and sing kum ba yah. That is total BS and flawed logic and you know it. This is called pandering to get votes.

You can burn every Condeferate Flag in the country, take away every gun in every home (that will never happen) and this will not change what is in an evil persons mind or heart. I own two Confederate Flags and I fly them proudly and I always will because I believe in something called the First Amendment.

I really am dissapointed in you and your actions. Shame on you.

Michael [REDACTED]
New Orleans, LA
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 Subject: The Flag

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If you take down the flag that has flown for decades because we are having an issue with 1 young man, I will take down my American flag that is currently at half mast, and I will no longer fly the flag of the Roman Catholic Vatican or the New England Patriots. Get real 1 young man does not warrant the removal of the flag.....

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Date: 6/29/2015 1:46:53 AM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Striking the Confederate Flag from the State Capital Grounds

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Honorable Madam Governor,

Peace be unto you and the people of The Great State of South Carolina. For what it is worth, in my opinion, the striking of The Confederate Flag from the state capital grounds in South Carolina might serve to be a catalyst for even more divisiveness and friction between the races in your own state and possibly other Southern states. From a historical standpoint, the Confederate battle flag is a representation of the lives and blood lost and shed by Soldiers and sons, where brother was pitted against brother...literally. People of all races, creeds and colors need to get beyond the past and look to the future and realize the past did happen. The Confederate battle flag is part of American history. It is part of your state history. Any symbol can be poised to represent anything anyone desires to at any single point in time. I chose to see the historical significance of The Confederate Flag or variations, and not the hatred. I do know that if we as a human race elect to forget or ignore history, we may be doomed to repeat it. As a member of the human race, I seek no forgiveness and owe no one an apology for the past deeds of others. I owe no explanation for it. History can not be altered by your deeds or mine. Striking The Confederate Colors from the capitol grounds is at best, a political gesture. It does not alter anything, for history has been written.

Respectfully submitted,

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Subject: The Confederate Flag

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I am not a South Carolinian. I am an American, though. And I am offended deeply by the flying of the Confederate flag in your state. After the Charleston tragedy, I feel compelled to speak up. The US flag was at half mast. The State flag was at half mast. The Confederate flag that flies over the government building? Flying high, at full mast. Can you imagine the Third Reich flag with the swastika flying over a prominent government building in Germany? Because it is part of their history?? There is no rational that can defend flying the Confederate flag. It brings nothing but shame to our country, and all that we wish it to stand for.

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 Date: 6/29/2015 10:47:03 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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 Subject: Confedredate Flag

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I would like to say what a horrible thing that Dillon Roof did to those 9 people in Charleston and my prayers are with their families but what he did has nothing to do with the confederate flag. The flag is history and it did not make him kill. His sick mind did that. Taking down the flag will not solve the race problem, people cause the race problem. Your actions have done nothing but cause division where people were united. You have put a political issue above the grief of those nine families. I'm sure the confederate flag is not what they are thinking about today.

Are we going to take down the American flag because it offends people? I am tired of a handful of politicians deciding what is best for the people. The flag should be put to a vote of the people not to a handful of politicians who are looking for a vote. Be assured that I will not vote for you again. I have called your office several times since your news statement yesterday but no one will answer the phone.

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 Subject: Confederate flag

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 <SUBJECT>Confederate flag</SUBJECT>
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With the flag of the confederacy taken down, I will bet that in about 20 years, we will see the "colors of the rainbow" flag fly on the same mast. And 10 years after that, the rainbow flag will fly over the South Carolina State House,, and by then everyone in Carolina will be taught to cheer.

And in 20 years, the flag of the Confederacy, will be likened to the evils of racism, and to the flag of NAZI Germany.

When you took the Confederate flag down, you all did bow down to the peer pressure of the TV Media, and the forces radical left.

This is a sad day for the entire nation.

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 Subject: confederate flag/mlk issyes

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I saw on the news that leftwingers are demanding the confederate flag be removed because a white man killed people in a church. I recommend that the removal of the confederate flag day and mlk day and the flag move to a neutral location be contained in a state bill for the house and senate to vote on as a one bill, and not to be pulled apart as leftwingers would be demanding. To vote the whole bill glued together as an up or down vote, so the pro-flag and pro mlk and the nonpro flag and nonmlk supporters have the same chance to get "justice for all" and a good clean airing of the ethic issues. I am a proud American and want the flag to stay if mlk stays. Let all have their voice/rights, or, if not, America is not really America. I hope the killer gets the death sentence and dies quickly, according to the law. You are a fine governor. john [REDACTED]

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <JohnsonDEthan@gmail.com>

Date: 6/27/2015 6:37:44 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: Confecderit flag issue

Title: The confecderit flag issue... Met half way.

First Name: Ethan

Middle Initial:D

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: West Columbia

State: SC

Zip: 29169

Phone: 803 [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@gmail.com

Affiliation: Youth (Under 18)

Message:

Hay... I know you probably won't reed this in time to do this... Or read it at all. But I might as well... My family has always told me to be proud of my family history and to stick up for it and so I feel bad about the confederit flag issue. It sucks that most liberals and black people are targeting SC when they can't everf feel how we feel about it. But since every one is targeting us and if we keep the flag up they will pound us so hard it will be unbelievable, I have made a kind of solution... You can take the flag down (I still would rather see it still flying) but then at the confed memorial you can make a stone plaque or statue with the image of the confederit battle flag,national flag, or the 10th regiment SC infintrey flag carved into it. And maybe giving some information about it on the stone as well. Thank you. (My gggg grandfather was Steven W. [REDACTED] first Lieutenant of the [REDACTED] guard. Under the 10th regiment)

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 Subject: Place the Confederate Flag in a Museum

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P.S.

Perhaps the confederate flag should go into a museum for the individuals who view this flag as part of their legacy. Just a thought.

Governor Haley,

Wow! As I write this email, my heart is filled with joy and hope for a better South Carolina. Thank you for having the courage and compassionate leadership to recognize the need to remove the confederate flag from the state house at such a time as this. I know that this flag represents pride for some, but it also represents pain for others. This flag has been a symbol at the state house that has kept this state divided by race... but NO longer. Thank YOU! Removing this flag will ensure "ALL" South Carolinians that the state house representatives represent "ALL" SC people.

My family and I pray that each and every person that was killed by this young man are in a better place. We also pray that South Carolina's response to this tragedy continues to demonstrate to the world that we are one state, under God, indivisible, with justice for ALL.

My husband children and I have been praying for the young man who killed these people, as well as the people he represents, but rest in knowing that he, and others like him, do NOT represent our

great state.

Thanks again for your courageous leadership.

In Christ,

Olivia [REDACTED]

Wife, mother, retired US Army soldier & current [REDACTED] student (USC)

African American Christian - Not Democratic, Not Republican, Christian

Proud to say that I am from South Carolina... When I say it this time, I mean it... It's a great day in South Carolina!!

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Dear Governor Haley,

I do believe that you have a right to your opinion about flying the Confederate flag over the Capitol building, but I also believe that the people of this state have the right to make the final decision. I do not believe that it is yours alone. A vote should be taken.

There is a point when vilifying our history is nothing more than acting like the Taliban in destroying history. It happened. We should not remove the reminders of our history and what made us what we are today just because a few people are offended. You and I and the rest of the people in this state know that progressives/communists/left wingers will NEVER be satisfied and will ALWAYS complain about something. The age-old saying of "give them an inch and they will take a mile" applies 10-fold to them.

And one final thought. Far too many people in this day and age fail completely in understanding the origins and the whys of many things. Virtually everyone thinks of the States a hundred or two hundred years ago as the United States, a single country, rather than single countries (states) acting as a union. Why else would men like Robert E. Lee return to his "country" of Virginia out of sheer loyalty?

Very truly yours,

Tom [REDACTED]

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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Dear Governor Haley,

I am writing from California to applaud your courage and integrity vis-a-vis the Confederate flag waving at the state capitol building. you debunked my stereotype of South Carolinians!

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Subject: Confederate Flag and Heritage

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Governor Haley, I thought you had guts, but you are just another cowardly RINO! You have a tragic incident happen in SC that creates a problem for you, and you just want it to go away. So your answer is to offer up a proud people's history and heritage to make the problem go away, must appease the extreme leftists, Communists, race hustlers at all costs! The Confederate flag that flies in Columbia represents PEOPLE, men and women who fought and died for SC in a battle against the forerunner of the current Federal Government! You have a much bigger problem now, I will make it my life's mission to see that you NEVER hold another elective office in SC or anywhere else! Maybe you should consider moving to The People's Republic of Maryland, or perhaps the District of Corruption. You are a disgrace to this state, its people, and its history and heritage, DAMN YOU Madam!
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Subject: Confederate Flag

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<SUBJECT>Confederate Flag</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

I was wondering if we could remove the US flag from the state house. I'm sure that there are many many Native american people offended by it. Just curious if Governor Haley agrees with me.

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Subject: Confederate Flag from Capitol lawn

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<SUBJECT>Confederate Flag from Capitol lawn</SUBJECT>

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I am a member of both of the groups I mentioned above. I think it is unjust to remove the Confederate flag from the Capital grounds. My ancestors fought in the Civil War and some of the lost their lives. I am very proud to be from South Carolina. I think it is awful that something I am so proud of has to be removed because a few black people don't like it. Can we also have anything about Martin Luther King and other Black leaders removed? What will be next our right to carry a Bible and go to church? When the Civil War was over a lot of the so called slaves asked my ancestors to let them come back to the plantations. Anyway if you read the history the Civil War was not about slaves but that the South was becoming prosperous and the North did not like it. History tells that the colored people were the ones who sold their own people into slavery. Thanks for listening. Mary M. [REDACTED]

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I am new to state and was blown away when I heard governor was hosting a pray meeting. I came from Indiana and thought Mike Pence was a good Christian governor yet he could not do that there. I am so glad my wife came from here and we have relocated to a city state where pray is soooo important.!!

I reluctantly agree with flag removal as I do not see hate symbol but a symbol of states rights vs overstepping federal government. Thank you for your service to God and to South Carolina.

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Cc:
Subject: THE CONFEDERATE FLAG BELONGS IN A MUSEUM

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I was born in Cuba, came to the USA 6/64, became a US citizen 1/71, based on my studies, education, reading and fellow citizens, I have learned the Confederate flag is a symbol of racism and should be placed in a museum. I would suggest to go one step further and do not allow any "supremacist organization" to be based in S.C.

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Subject: Battle flag from the State House grounds.

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<ISSUE>GOVE</ISSUE>

<SUBJECT>Battle flag from the State House grounds.</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

The majority of the people have already spoken. Leave the flag alone.

By calling for its removal you have lost my vote.

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Subject: Confederate Flag:

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What a chicken crap moron you are! You just spit in the faces of all the veteran's who fought for that flag! Roof might be a mental case but he was right about one thing, BLACK'S ARE RUNNING THE COUNTRY NOW!!!!!!

You Haley, are a COWARD now go kiss twenty black's today for CNN news!!!!!!!!!!

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 Subject: Removal of Confederate Flag

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Dear Gov. Haley,

Thank you for your efforts and courage to have the Confederate flag removed from the spaces shared by two groups who view the flag in different ways. I hope that the negative comments made by some will not deter you from pressing forward on this issue. I believe that the founding fathers of our country would be proud of the transformation and evolution of this issue.

Godspeed and Thank You again,

Helain [REDACTED]
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Subject: Confederate Flag

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 <MSG>

Dear Governor,

I understand some of the statements you made about the Confederate flag, however, I do feel you are being dishonest to a good degree on this subject. While you condemn the flag, and in fact all of those who died for states rights, and yes, states rights was about much more than slavery as Northerners had slaves as well, you fail to recognize a few facts that you should have as the Governor the morality to speak on.

1. Africans sold their own people into slavery. Thus, the colors of Africa that many like to wear should be offensive as well. But alas, you will not say this because to accuse blacks of being offensive would be considered racist.

You can't have buyers without sellers! Blacks sold blacks.

2. America only had 5% of the worlds population of African's as slaves while Brazil had the highest population of African slaves.

Why not state this fact and quit making it look as if only the South had slaves. But, alas, you will

not do this because it would hurt the black political agenda of making Southern whites feel as though we the cause of all of America's ills.

3. Why not look at Slavery as a blessing for blacks!

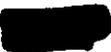
Just as Israel grew into a great nation while in slavery in Egypt, so did/could the blacks if they and the government would encourage them to become great over keeping so many in "chains" of economic slavery by way of lower education, Govt. housing, welfare and other such programs that lead to dead end lives.

You claim to be a Christian, right? Then read your Bible and see how God used Israel's slavery in Egypt to grow them into a great nation. Moses learned his leadership skill there. The Israelites learned manual and skilled labor there. They learned how to be warriors there. They grew and grew in knowledge, skill and numbers there. There were also protected by the greatest nation at that time so they were secure from attack. So when they left they were a great nation.

Slavery in America did the same for the blacks! Looked at in the right light slavery can be God's blessing if the people will only see it at such and move forward.

Will you have the integrity to admit this and speak on this truth? If you are going to speak on one side of the topic you should be willing to other side as well.

So, where is your heart and integrity? If you want healing promote it with the full truth!

Thank you,
Dr. Dwayne 

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 Cc:
 Subject: Please remove the confederate flag from public grounds

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 <MSG>

Dear Governor,

I am writing to ask that you please help the people of our state by removing the confederate flag from public grounds in SC.

I signed a petition requesting this 20 years ago and am so disappointed to still have to fight this fight in 2015. It is an embarrassment to our state. This flag is not a source of pride and does not represent your good and decent and law abiding constituents. Don't tread on us! Do the right thing - we are begging your compassion and help.

Thank you,

Kathryn [REDACTED]
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Subject: Confederate Flag

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I would respectfully ask you use your influence as Governor to remove the Confederate Flag from your state capitol. As an American when I see that flag it inspires fear and a uneasy feeling. This represents one of Americas greatest sins. How now is it in 2015 a country able to reason and support it. I for one planned on attending the National Bikers Roundup and will not attend in August if it continues to fly.

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Cc:
Subject: Removal of the confederate flag

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I am very surprised to see a Republican Governor fold to political correctness and pressure in reference to the Confederate Flag. Under no circumstances is the flag a symbol of racism, hatred or anything else. It is about historic culture. I wish some of our law makers would decide to stand their ground in reference to the insanity that we are witnessing daily. I appreciate the opportunity to express my views as a Conservative Voter.

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 Subject: flag

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What a mistake. I lived in S.C. when the flag was moved at state house. It was voted on. What will you do when the progressive liberals start on removing the AMERICAN FLAG because it offends some liberal crazy group? go on t.v. and say you agree ? and the people trying, and succeeding to bring this country down, will be doing just that, and it will not take very long. and there is not one politician in S.C. who will fight for this country-----apparently even you .I have family in S.C. and would love to reside there again. but now even S.C.is beginning to fall apart. makes me sad.

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Cc:
Subject: The Confederate Battleflag

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What happened last week with one Man's rage at a historic Black Church in which he killed 9 people including it's pastor shows that we are all united together as one nation indivisible.

Governor Haley thank you for taking the lead in removing the Confederate flag from the State Capitol Building.

Governor Haley than you for joining the fight as well as discussing what the Confederate battle flag has meant to both sides.

The Confederate Battle Flag may be historic but it's also racist like the Swastika flag Adolf Hitler used at Nazi Party rallies in the 1920's & 1930's.

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Wow !! I can hardly believe that you have taken this step in attempting to Place the Confederate Flag in a Museum. Do you also plan to take tributes to Martin Luther King and place them in a museum as well?

History is important !! All historical events need to be remembered so that Americans can see where we are today and how we got here.

Perhaps a better resolution to the perceived racial issue in your state and in the entire country would be for the Black citizens in your state to confess forgiveness for the the actions that they believe the Confederacy is responsible. And in doing so, agree that the Confederate Flag and the history it represents should remain in place.

I was born and reared in Savannah, GA. My husband is retired military and we now reside in LA. I am a proud citizen of this great country. During my youth our family made many trips to the "Great" state of South Carolina and I have fond memories of those trips.

I do hope that you will not join the many who always want to attempt to tear down history to satisfy perceived racist actions of evil people.

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Subject: Conferate flag comment

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<SUBJECT>Conferate flag comment</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

Actually this is on the confederate flag issue. I would think lowering the flag to half staff to pay tribute to the fallen should happen before anything else is done.

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I can tell you now.taking down this flag won't stop people from doing what happened again.future more it should be our the people's choice not yours.it's our flag and OUR capital

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Subject: Confederate flag

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 <MSG>

I grew up in South Carolina. In my senior year of high school (1971) the Anderson city schools went through a traumatic change. The city was divided and I was sent to Westside High School, the formerly all black school. That transition was a success and I received their top citizenship award for helping bring together black and white students. I mention this to show that I am not a prejudiced person.

However, I dearly love my southern heritage and our Confederate Flag is part of that. During those years, I never heard one complaint about our southern flag. If offence is taken, it is learned, just as racism is learned.

I fear that our Republican politicians have taken advantage of a tragic event to advance their political agendas and court the black vote.

Take the issue to the people and let them decide.

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The Martin side of my family came for South Carolina and my dad's are all southerners. I am mad as hell about the removal of the Confederate Flag for it is a symbol of freedom to worship the Lord Jesus Christ. To remove it means a rejection of Jesus Christ as the Savior who suffered on the cross for the sins of mankind and giving into evil.

It is also saying damn to us who served in the military to protect the freedom of Americans.

The flag as a issue is to give into Satanic doctrine of getting the issue of the real problem man's old sin nature and its production. "All have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" Romans 3:23.

The strife between men of all races is man sin nature: "For we ourselves also were sometimes foolish, disobedient, deceived, serving divers lusts and pleasures, living in malice and envy, hateful, and hating one another." Titus 3:3.

I hate what is going on as a result of the shooting. "Be angry and do not sin" Ephesians 4:26. The fear of the LORD is to hate evil: pride, and arrogance, and the evil way, and the forward mouth, do I hate. Proverbs 8:13.

The governor is giving into this evil and as a result of giving into this evil she comes under the judgment of God because she is distracting other from the real issue the old sin nature and giving in to Satan's deception to the real issue.

God says the best we can do are "like one who is unclean, all our so-called righteous acts are like spent menstrual rag in your sight." Isaiah 64:6.

Tell her if she rejects Jesus Christ she will be spending eternity in total darkness, with crawling worms all over and maximum heat in the lake of fire.

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath [lake of fire] of God abideth on him. John 3:35

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved. Acts 16:31

thank you

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Governor,

It is time (though it was time long, long ago) to take down the Confederate flag. Not flying it at half mast underscores the brazen disrespect it shows to the United States of America, of which your state claims to be a part. It is an arrogant and evil symbol of racism that encourages monsters like the one who mercilessly murdered nine innocent people of color in Charleston. Your shame belongs to the nation, in front of ourselves and the world. Guess what? The Civil War is over. Your rebellion only signifies the brutal racism that led to the massacre of good, Christian people of color. How can you fly that flag? How can you?? If you have any decency, rip it down, and do it now!!

Thomas Terence [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]
 Sacramento, CA 95825
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Cc:
Subject: Confederate flag

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Dear Governor I was upset to hear your decision to push to have the Confederate flag removed. I would ask you to please kindly reconsider. As a southerner I believe that the people of the South are generally good people and that the cruel acts of one mentally ill young man should not interfere with the public display of our heritage. What good does it do to bash a symbol that so many of our ancestors fought and died for! I feel that I and the people of the South are being punished for the acts of one insane person! I think a society will never fully be mature until all people learn to accept each others differences including our heritage! If we don't draw a line what will be next? Shall we remove George Washington from the dollar bill? (He did own slaves) Or what about Thomas Jefferson? He was a slave owner! Actually our great country was founded by people who were rebels and slave owners and who also displaced and eradicated many of our native American ancestors. Shall we do away with "Old Glory". My home state of Texas gained it's independence with the help of rebels who also unfortunatley owned slaves and treated the tejano population like third class. Should we remove the Texas flag? No! What we do is learn to live with our differences and respect them including our heritage whether it be at the individual or collective level. Remember! If you really have your constituents at heart you will protect what's dear to all of them not just some of them!

With my kindest regards and God Bless Our Country and Your office! John [REDACTED]

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GET RID OF YOUR CONFEDERATE FLAG. YOUR STATE IS CAUSING PROBLEMS FOR THE REST OF THE COUNTRY BECAUSE YOU STILL WANT TO HOLD ONTO YOUR PREJUDICE VALUES OF SLAVERY I WILL NEVER COME TO YOUR STATE UNTIL THAT FLAG COMES DOWN AND I AM WHITE. GET IT TOGETHER YOU STUPID STATE.

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Cc:

Subject: Flag

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I support the flag of the Confederate States of America!

Go fuck yourself!

This is fucking typical....a fucking emotional foreign female wants to deny a symbol of heritage to those of us who actually know of the history of the flag. You don't know shit about southern heritage. You are carrying water for race hustlers and that makes you a piece of shit.

Fuck you and yours!

Charles [REDACTED]
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Subject: You have disappointed the average citizen of South Carolina. Sure hope you do not plan to run for political office again.

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<SUBJECT>You have disappointed the average citizen of South Carolina. Sure hope you do not plan to run for political office again.</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

What next? The average black citizen in South Carolina could care less that the Confederate Flag is located on the State House grounds. It is the politicians, both black and white, Democrats and Republicans, who will use every tragedy to score political points. I, like many black and white SC citizens, find the young men who walk around with their underwear exposed more offensive than the Confederate Flag. I guess the next move will be to close down the Rivers Bridge State Park since it is a memorial to those killed in the Civil War. Removing the Confederate Flag from the State House grounds will not erase or change history as some would like it to do. It should serve as a reminder of the tragedies of Wars when some family members and former friends took up arms against each other. I would assume those who find the Confederate Flag offensive do not consider General Sherman's march through South Carolina destroying everything in his path offensive as most Southerners do. MYTH - The War of 1861 - 1865 was fought over slavery. FACT - Terribly untrue. The North fought the war over money. Plain and simple. When the South started Secession, Lincoln was asked, "Why not let the South go in peace?" To which he replied, "I can't let them go. Who would pay for the government?" Sensing total financial ruin for the North, Lincoln waged war on the South. The South fought the War to repel Northern aggression and invasion.

NONE of the flags of the Confederacy or Southern Nation ever flew over a slave ship. Nor did the South own or operate any slaves ships. The English, the Dutch and the Portuguese brought slaves to this country, not the Southern Nation.

BUT, even more monumental, it is also very important to know and understand that Federal, Yankee, Union ships brought slaves to America! These ships were from the New England states, and their hypocrisy is atrocious.

These Federals were ones that ended up crying the loudest about slavery. But without their ships, many of the slaves would have never arrived here. They made countless fortunes on the delivery of slaves as well as the products made from raw materials such as cotton and tobacco in the South. This is the problem with Yankee History as it is overwhelmingly portrayed incorrectly by most of the Federal & Yankee books and media. These historical facts were copied and not my own.

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 Subject: flag

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I am wondering, as a grandmother, when you take down some of your own states history, are you also going to take down the BLACK part of your history? It would only seem fair and right if you demonstrate that sort of insensitive attitude towards the history of your state, than you must also take down all references to your black history? Wow, that would mean almost destroying the downtown part of Charleston? But if in your stupidity of giving in again, you must be going to be fair to ALL ? But I know the answer to that, you will always be giving in to what the BLACK WANTS AND FORGETTING WHAT THE WHITE PEOPLE WANT? The flag is part of your history, and the current level of black ignorance, NOT SLAVES OR RELATIVES, need to be listened to, but please, why do you want to continually give them what they want and demand? I am hoping that if the flag disappears you also make sure all the BLACK only organizations also disappear? Sorry for what happened in your area, but you will only be making things more racist, but isn't that what you want?

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Kudos on starting the confederate flag debate. You are the governor. Have the flag removed, then drag your colleagues back to vote on raising it again. It's racist and has no place in polite society.

Good luck

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Please do not take the flag down. I feel people need to be more educated on its history. I feel that if the flag comes down, because we need to emphasize unity, we should also stop "celebrating" Black History Month and Martin Luther King Day as well. Those two things also exhibit separatism in society as well.

Thanks for all that you do.

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Subject: The Flag

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Mrs. Haley,

I cannot believe - well yes I do believe actually that you caved so quickly to the left over the flag. The idea that you can and will hold the legislative hostage till they give you what you want is dictatorially consistent with your run for a higher office that you have perpetuated on the people of this state since you took office.

The flag is NOT the problem. People like you ARE the problem.

The people of this state do NOT agree with you, and you are supposed to SERVE the people. Not your own political agenda!

Grow up - read the Republican creed and try, please try to follow it!!.

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Subject: Private believes and/or memorabilia

<APP>CUSTOM
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 <FIRST>Mike</FIRST>
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 <TITLE>NA</TITLE>
 <ORGANIZATION>Individual who proud to be an American</ORGANIZATION>
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We all have something we cling to and/or believe has a special meaning to our past and the freedom to do so as granted by our great country.

However to place such items as in the flag that doesn't remind us of our history and past but continue to stir and promote emotion sentiment for the current population especially the young that may not have the real meaning of what historical events behind this flag means. Especially those who are misled lead by those who do not stand tall behind our "Flag" and take opportunities to recruit the young to be faithful to a flag with the intend to create racial hate.

As in the individual who has be lead away from the respect for all human to one of hatred, I pray for him that he may find his way back and for the loss of lives to awaken us to the danger this event can lead to if we don't act and you have.

I pray that your intends were for the well fare of our country and not any political agenda.

However having said this and not personally nor having no knowledge of you integrity and beliefs except what I have read on the web.

I believe your a guiding light to guide our country back to a country under the Lord and in the utilization of your power for what the right thing to do not for power and/or greed. (As to the right thing, almost a impossibility with all the corruption and power one must deal with, but one who

tows the rope will find the energy and wisdom to endure if one have faith.)
Hang in there, support is mounting for you...God Bless..Mike

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Subject: Thank you regarding removal of Confederate flag

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<SUBJECT>Thank you regarding removal of Confederate flag</SUBJECT>

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Dear Governor Haley,

I am writing to express my support for removal of the Confederate flag from the SC State House. While I am not a resident of South Carolina, I do work there part-time as a member of the [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] I am so encouraged by your recent statements and plans to ask the legislature to remove the symbol of hate. I look forward to visiting Columbia again when the new season with the [REDACTED] starts and it will be my pleasure to finally run near the grounds of the Capitol knowing the flag will no longer be there.

Sincerely,

Hollie [REDACTED]

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First of all i live in Fla. I think the Confederate Flag is as much a part of these great United States History as the American Flag. Many thousands of people gave their lives on both sides. I dont think that the Confederate flag causes racism, it is a reminder of what can happen when things get out of control.

These are my thoughts
 Thank you
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 <MSG>

Very diappointed in today's press conference. You used this tragedy to bring up the flag The flag had nothing to do with the shooting in Charleston. We have already compromised once on this issue. What are you going to do next time ? Dig up and move all Confederate monuments? This was just another photo opt for your friends. **GOOD THING THIS IS YOUR LAST TERM** because I don't think you would win again. You have done a god job for SC but this could be your legacy
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Please support the initiative to remove the Confederate flag from the capitol grounds and display it properly in a Confederate musueum. SC is no longer that Southern agrigultural state. Rather it is a vigourous economic engine employing personnel of multi-national origin. Too us the flag represents a division, bigotry and hatred, please lower it so that we may heal the recent wounds caused by the assation of AME members.

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I really am disappointed in you. If you remove the flag, you need to remove every flag, statue and monument on state property. We can have flowers. As soon as possible. I regret voting for you as my governor. I feel sad for 9 individuals lost their lives but it political now.

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Dear Governor Haley,

I wish to suggest that you let your state citizens decide the disposition of the Confederate flag on state property not the American public. Your state should have the right to display its heritage. Its history cannot be changed by removing the flag.

Sincerely, Sam [REDACTED]

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Cc:
Subject: A Pissed Off True Born South Caroleanion

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There goes the Neighborhood!

So you want the Nigs. to get their way again?

You need to let the South Carolina people vote on whether or not we should take down the Confederate Flag or not or should we put the Confederate Flag back on top of the Capitol Building.

You give those Blacks an Inch and they want to take a mile and you never can make a Black person satisfied and if they do not get their way they will Cry and Whine until they get their way.

The Blacks have had Free Welfare and Free Food for over two hundred years and you can never Satisfy them.

So I guess that you want South Carolina be like Oakland, Calif., or Detroit or Chicago where Blacks have taken over everything and they are still not Happy.

White People cannot even go into some Cities without having to worry about being Killed.

What are the Blacks going to Give Up if we let them take the Confederate Flag down?

The Blacks will never give up anything and they are always wanting everything their way.

I am Sick and Tired of hearing Blacks, Mexicans and all Immigrants Crying because they do not get everything Handed to them on a Silver Platter.

We the People of South Carolina do not need a Governor from Indie to tell us what to do.

We need to get Rid of you a Foreign Governor and not our Heritage.
I am sick of People coming into South Carolina and trying to tell us what to do.
I would never vote for a Foreigner like you and you was not even born here in
South Carolina.

If people do not like to see our Confederate Flag flying then they need to move
to another State and you can pack up and go with them.

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 Subject: that flag

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Dear Gov. Haley,

Thank you for your bold decision to push for the Confederate flag's removal from our state capitol. I grew up in the Lowcountry and now live in the Upstate. As a South Carolina native, I've witnessed a great many things. Charleston's rebirth as a food and leisure destination. The transformation of our industrial economy with the arrival of Boeing, BMW, and others. Greenville's downtown revival. And every week, I discover something new to love in the wilderness of Oconee, DuPont, and other hiking destinations in the foothills.

Yet through all these years, there was always something that kept me from embracing "southern pride." I've lived in different states and different countries over the years, and felt the need to apologize for my state when it comes to matters of racism. One can argue our progress, as you did in yesterday's speech, but until now, there was always a symbol on the statehouse grounds that said, "We're not done yet."

That time is over, the message is changing. The removal of that flag will not rewrite history or undo the sins of our ancestors, but its removal will send a message to the nation and the world, "We are moving forward."

Thank you again for all you do.

Sincerely,

Sam [REDACTED]
Spartanburg, SC
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Subject: Alternatives to the dismantle of American history.

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Instead of removing the confederate flag from your government buildings and destroying American history maybe you should better educate your citizens on what that flag represented. It would be counter productive to take the lazy route and just take the flag down instead of providing better education on what it stood for. In the event that you didn't know what it stood for allow me to give you some information regarding it's primary existence. Much like the American flag the red white and blue stood for justice, valor, and purity. The 13 stars stood for the 13 original colonies, and the X stood for the disapproval of federal government trying to impose laws on the agriculture states that the southern states didn't agree on. These issues came long before the conception of the abolishment of slavery. It's a slap in the face to the thousands of dead black and white men who fought to defend the constitution of the United States and South Carolina if you choose to remove those flags.

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Subject: Confederate Memorial & Flag

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 Gov Haley,

Your actions yesterday are very disappointing. Not only have you back-peddled (your campaign speech was clear to keep the flag where it is) under the pressure of the media and race baitors, but you have shown a lack of leadership. A good leader would never act so quickly in such an emotionally charged environment. This issue was instigated by a news company outside of our state. It would have been a simple matter to explain the law of the flag, and why it wasn't lowered, then tell them promptly to put their nose in someone else's business. Now, you've not only caused an explosion of this issue with your statement yesterday, but your actions are now causing problems for our sister states.

As for your statement to have the legislator "look" at this matter before leaving session, I fully expect you to pay the \$21,000 out of your own pocket for each day they remain. The logical way to proceed would be to let them leave for the session, then look into the matter in the next session. Not only did you make a kneejerk reaction, you are forcing our representatives to do the same, and trying to cost our taxpayers more to keep them there. Our entire state needs time to get through this, and does not need to be making hasty decisions that will be regretted.

Haste will make us all lose.

If you push this, you will never get my vote again, even for dog-catcher.

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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By taking removing the flag you have taken the easy way out and given the liberals/Democrats a victory. You have admitted that Republicans are racist even though it was a Democrat that put up the flag..

Sincerely,

Ron [REDACTED]

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Subject: Take down the flag

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Thank you for supporting the removal of the confederate flag. Please urge the Legislature and Senate to remove the flag BEFORE the funerals for the victims of the Emanuel shootings take place. This would be an amazing show of compassion and empathy.

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Subject: Decisions made in haste

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It is certainly the business of South Carolinians if they wish to remove the confederate flag completely. This is really not that important of an issue. The reason is certainly in question. To bring people together? Would you be in favor of championing the replacement of the NAACP to NAAAP. Replace the Colored with All. Instead of focusing on the advancement of one race, focus on advancing all races. You may say that's not your business. But uniting and not dividing is your business. With all the problems this nation faces, the Confederate flag is the most important?(or is it just the nudge of an agenda). A couple of Bible verses come to Mind. "that we be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive". Eph. 4:14 also "And think thou this , O man that judgest them which do such things, and doest the same, that thou shalt escape the judgement of God".

Decisions should not be made to pacify the mob and to be seen of men. Pray for wisdom. Don't be or make a league with the hypocrite. Removal of the Confederate flag will solve nothing. There will be another issue tomorrow. Maybe it is time to remove the flag. It is also time to stop the promotion of one race over another. Removing the NAACP and affirmative action and treating all men as equal no matter the color is what everyone is calling for and is a nobel issue.

Discrimination against any race red, yellow, black or white is wrong. The time to make that clear has come.

These comments are made with ill will toward none.

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Subject: Problem with Flag

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I suggest that since the flag will not be removed by Friday, To put a a Tent structure around the flag. Hence blocking a view from all sides but keep the top open.

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Subject: Take Down The Flag

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Dear Governor Haley,

I have ignored the racial inequality in South Carolina for too long. The recent hate crimes in Charleston have served as a wake up call for me. The Confederate flag that flies on our capital grounds must come down. It is a symbol of inequality and injustice, neither of which represent my values as a South Carolinian.

The capital belongs to the people, the Confederate flag flying on our grounds inaccurately implies that all South Carolinians embrace the values it espouses -We DO NOT.

I voted for you-both times because I have faith in your leadership ability to move our state forward. PLEASE hear the voices of your constituents and take action to make us a socially progressive state, not just economically focused.

I will continue to help bring racial equality to South Carolina, the death of 9 black South Carolinians must not be in vain.

Sincerely,

Teresa [REDACTED]

803 [REDACTED]

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Subject: I APPLAUD YOU FOR YOUR POSITION ON THE CONFEDERATE FLAG!

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<MSG>

Please do not stop your effort to remove the confederate from the state house building. I confounds me that anyone would want to fly that flag or defend it's existence. It is the flag of slavery and has no place in modern society. This is not a new issue for me, I have felt like this for a long time. Stay strong in your quest to do the right thing. If I could support you with a vote I would.

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To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

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Subject: Your stance on the flag

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I see you have taken this event in Charleston as motivation to remove the flag. I believe if you're doing it for that reason, then it's the wrong thing to do. No sane person looks at the Confederate flag and says, "I guess the South Carolina government thinks it's OK to kill a black person." Murder is still murder, and no symbol of the past is going to change that.

I think you never should have put the flag up in the first place. It only represents the fact you were losers in the Civil War. I guess you guys like being reminded of how you can't achieve your goals.

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Dear Governor: Media reports are stating that it will take some time for the state legislature to approve removing the Confederate flag from the memorial at the capitol. Rev. Pinkney will lie in state at the capitol starting this Wednesday, and his funeral will be held Friday, as I am sure you understand. In addition, President Obama will give the eulogy.

It is an insult to those who were slaughtered at Emmanuel AME Church, their families, visiting dignataries, and all of those who seek peace and justice to allow the Confederate flag to remain in place during this time. Please have the flag removed before the ceremonies begin.

Thank you, Judy [REDACTED]
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Subject: The flag of the Confederates

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I am not from your state but was not surprised on your decision to remove this flag. Just a thought, many good people died for that flag. They left their homes, fought against their own families under this flag. Maybe it is time to take it down from the capitol to show that things are going to be new and fresh. Just do not forget the past. It is too important.

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 Subject: Suggestion regarding the Confederate Battle Flag.

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Madam Governor. May I suggest you recommend the Confederate Battle Flag be changed out with one of the variations of the First National Flag of the the Confederacy. This will still show respect and honor to the Army and citizens of the Southern States, and be less offensive to those that are bothered by the Battle Flag.

Regards,

M. Dale [REDACTED]
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Subject: LET IT FLY

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Mrs. Haley ;

How can you possibly call for the removal Of the Confederate Flag because of the hate it represents when all State Employees get a PAID Holiday. You Can't have it both ways , take our Flag then take their pay.It is unfair that the people of this State that truly now the real meaning of the Flag get slapped in the face twice.First by the removal and then continued slap in the face by State employees being able to get a day off with pay, how sad that the people who honor this flag does not get Confederate Memorial Day off with pay , but the people who despise everything about it including you allow a paid Holiday to continue , take our Flag take their pay; can't have it both ways. Campaign for #LETITFLY.

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Rita Zimmerle

Bunnell, FL · Jun 29, 2015

94.5% of the men who fought for the Confederacy did NOT own slaves. African-Americans actually fought under the Battle Flag and received the same pay as whites with 1 honor those Confederate Veterans who fought under that Flag.

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Madison, AL · Jun 29, 2015

The NAACP has become a hate group promoting racial tension.

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Brian [REDACTED]

Hollywood, FL · Jun 29, 2015

NAACP is not my government and doesn't speak for myself or my family 2nd Amend right Freedom of Speech not censored

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Eric [REDACTED]

Port Republic, MD · Jun 29, 2015

NAACP is, itself, a hate group. It stays alive simply by trumping up non-truths about that time in history. Recommend a follow up to the 150th cycle one find a good UNBI/ history of the 10-12 year period known as reconstruction.

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Governor Haley

We believe the Confederate Flag should stay where it is. We believe it is part of our history.

We believe the flag is not divisive; it is the perception of the flag. No matter what decision is made, there will be controversy.

Thank you.

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You know it is sad that our lawmakers are claiming that anything pertaining to the Confederacy is racist. If they would have researched the History of the Confederacy they would have found that slavery was an issue long before the confederacy was even born. The true racist flag would have been the US flag which was flown on the Slave ships bringing slaves to the United States. The Southern Cross or the Confederate Flag was flown in battle to distinguish the north from the south. The reason the war began was because of the Morrill act of 1857 passed in 1859. Abraham Lincoln even stated in his first inaugural address that he had no intentions of interfering with the trade of slavery. Slaves were used by the north as a means of leverage for support, because it was a major issue at the time. and if you look at the number of plantation owners in the south that owned slaves the numbers were low considering the entire population of the south at that time. Many who fought the war were share croppers and farmers, not plantation owners. The Morrill Act of 1857 was passed by the federal government, what the confederate states wanted was a weaker federal government and a stronger state government. So our politicians have the racist flag, the reason for the Civil War all wrong. Why is it that when a Gilbert Collar, a white, unarmed 18-year-old under the influence of drugs was shot and killed Oct. 6, 2012, by Officer Trevis Austin, who is black, in Mobile, Alabama. Despite public pressure for an indictment, a Mobile County grand jury refused to bring charges against Officer Austin, concluding that the officer acted in self-defense. Noone cried racism? I think by removing the battle flag under pressure of a racist

government you yourself committed a racist act.

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I'm writing to respectfully request that you remove the Confederate Flag from statehouse grounds. As a white South Carolina native, I have always struggled with the oppressive nature carried in the symbology of the flag. It's unnecessary to the function of the state in modern day world. It's a relic of the past that's better served as memorial in a museum. It causes fear and concern among those with African American heritage (and why would we want any human to fill ill-at-ease?). Its presence on state house grounds validates racist behavior and aligns you and the state government with oppression, hate, and the current state of violence following the murders in Charleston. Please do us all a favor and bring us, our native state, into today by removing the Confederate Flag forever more.

Thank you,
 Leanna
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This is a sad day when Government Officials are blinded by giving into people . That Southern flag did nothing to cause th problems. If you truly believe what your doing then why don't you take down the flag of South Carolina doesn't it represent the old south also. Now, because of what you are doing our governor is thinking about taking down statue's and the articles of the Civil War era. How stupid people are, people have become so thin skinned, all groups of people have to do today is protest against something, riot , set fire kill police, and call it a cause and politics backs them up because of skin color. This is a sick world and it's becoming sicker each and every day. I'm just disgusted with this country, if I wasn't close to dying I would go to Europe and live there. I know the grass isn't always greener but it might be a little better. Oh! could you use a few more Illegals from the south we have a couple million we could spare , at least they don't protest the flag's that have been in this country, I don't know what the name of it is any more, Most of the time I don't know what any body is saying , no body speaks English.

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I am sorry to hear you have jumped on the 'remove the flag' bandwagon. The terrible tragedy that occurred in the AME church in Charleston would have happened even if that young man had never seen a confederate flag.

Has it ever occurred to you that anti-flag, anti-2nd amendment fanatics will do anything to promote their agenda? These people prey on the mentally ill and use them to bring adverse attention to whatever their twisted minds decide is the topic of the day. The more tragic the better. The people of South Carolina and Charleston in particular have shown a strength and grace in this situation that won't be found outside of this state. We are intelligent enough to know that all the speeches condemning these senseless deaths are just pandering for votes. I thought you were above that.

You have lost my vote for office of any kind.

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Removing the Confederate Flag is a mistake if done due to the Murders of Charleston. It is also known that he disgraced the US FLAG. Will it be the next to be removed? South Carolina has never been known as a WEAK state. I am proud to be from South Carolina. I am proud that we stand for what we believe in and try to learn from our mistakes. ALL of our history should be known we have NOTHING to hide. If people don't like the way we do things then WHY move here. We have laws and money being diverted from where it is needed to pay for things that have been decided it is just plain STUPID. A flag did not make him shoot those people. It did not make people in SC riot it made people in SC come together in prayer and help. The reason we responded that way is simple we are TAUGHT A LOVE FOR OUR FELLOW MAN... I am not sure what happened with the boy but the courts will decide not I.

Best Regards,

Lynn [REDACTED]

Walterboro, SC 29488

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the confederate flag represents the most horrific time in our country,

Civil war to protect an elite wealthy clique of Americans that profited economically from slavery that they convinced an entire generation to fight, suffer and die to protect their profits with an illusion of states rights. The only states right in question was slavery. The confederate flag existed only during that 4 year horrific period; therefore it represents the worst ideals, decisions and time of our country.. Most horrific times in our country's history (1) slavery and (2) the slaughter resulting of civil war from the 4 year existence of the confederacy trying to protect #1.. please don't perpetuate ignorance and extend the suffering and humiliation of millions of Americans. Move the flag. Heal and correct the nation. 150 years is too long and questions our morals., ethics and future direction. Ken

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Gov. Haley, I have always felt that the Legislature made a mistake in the compromise of moving the Confederate flag from the Capitol dome to the State House grounds. The museum at 301 Gervais St. would be a much better place for it to be positioned. It could fly on those grounds along with the other flags that have flown over South Carolina. (i.e. sort of a six flags over Georgia approach), or simply to have the last flag flown over the State house grounds placed in a display which would be a memorial to Rev. Parker and the other lives lost in Charleston. I think this could be done in a tasteful way to show that we have moved forward as a state. This should not be a "victory" or "defeat" for anyone. Those lives lost in Charleston are now a part of our history and placing the Confederate flag where it should have gone in the first place would be a tribute to them.

Thank you, Linda H [REDACTED]

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I do not agree with your and several other elected officials calling for removal of the Confederate battle flag from the state house grounds. But for goodness sake, please move the monument and flag off the front door steps and into the cool trees off to the side where it should have gone 15 years ago. Dragging the flag issue into the shocking Charleston church murders is only going to cause more hard feelings and heated arguments. Do not let the murderous young killer trick us into getting his stated objective. Our churches have a cross displayed on them, and the racist KKK would burn it to frighten minorities--but their inappropriate use of the cross will never make us take it down. We are smart enough to know the difference. Best wishes through these hard times and hold your head up high; real South Carolinians have no reason to be ashamed.

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Subject: the confederate flag represents states rights

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Its too bad that our education system & the media keep portraying the confederate flag as a white supremacist symbol. Rather we need to educate our citizens that this flag represents states rights, as that was the main reason the civil war was fought in the 1st place. Slavery was a shamefully wrong issue that the states fought for, but states rights vastly exceeds that one issue. Actually, we all lost the civil war as now the federal government believes that by winning that war, they have the right to force states to do whatever they tell them. So all of us now are slaves to the federal government instead of plantation owners & we lost most of the liberties our founding fathers gave us in the constitution !!!! Please read the book "When in the course of human events" which explains it better than I can in an email. So PLEASE help to change peoples viewpoint of that flag (by not burying it)to its rightful place of reminding us of the liberties the constitution gave to the states & to the people!!!!
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Subject: Confederate flag

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The flag issue was supposed to have been settled once-and-for-all years ago.

If you are going to surrender on the flag you should have demanded something in return! Let the flag opponents give up something named after Martin Luther King, Jr. for example.

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Dear Madam Govenor,
Thank you for yesterday's suggestion that we remove the confederate
Flag from state property. When this issue last arose
I was very much opposed to displacing the flag. The flag certainly does
Not represent racism or hate to be. But in the interest of being a United people
Let's remove it as per your suggestion. Thanks, steve
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Subject: Confederate flag

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It is time to take the confederate flag DOWN. I was born and live in SC. It's time to take the flag down and look forward with one state flag for all citizens. I am so sad of the events in Charleston.

Becky [REDACTED]
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 Subject: flag

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Have you ever thought about the symbols that generate negative feelings in others? This is something we must learn to tolerate to get along with others. That flag did not cause the sad occasion of a shooting in Charleston, it was caused by a person with sin in their heart. The NAACP generates negative feelings for me but that does not mean I get out and shoot and march, I use God's help to help me tolerate others and try to understand their feelings as I hope they understand mine. Thank you for allowing me to express my feelings and hopefully this will encourage you to leave the flag issue alone (we were promised 15 years ago that was the final place for the flag when the demand for action was honored) until emotions have time to calm and clear minds can make decisions.

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Subject: The Confederate Flag

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 Gov. Haley

As a member of The Sons of Confederate Veterans I think that your request to remove the Confederate Flag from the state house grounds is uncalled for. Our flag is not a hate symbol. It is a symbol of Southern Heritage. We cannot erase the memories of our ancestors who fought so gallantly and died for their belief. That belief is "Freedom from Tyranny" This is what the Confederate Flag truly stands for.

I see your attempts as purely political. What a joke. LOST MY VOTE
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I would like to make a suggestion for the removal of the Confederate Flag. I feel that almost everyone wants it removed, however some (rednecks) will not agree with the removal because they feel like someone is taking something away from them and giving in to the blacks. They will organize protest to keep the flag on the Statehouse grounds and some may become disruptive. I have already seen post on facebook by individuals that I had never seen post anything before.

Short version. Someone needs to start a "Free the Flag" movement to have it removed so that it can no longer be held as a political pawn in this state. Instead of this group seeing this as their "heritage" being taken away, they can join and feel like they are choosing to have it removed from the States and Politicians control. I would do it myself, but health issues prohibit me from doing so.

People want to take sides and be on the winning side, but when you can make both sides want the same thing, even if it is for different reasons, you develop a win/win situation.

Thank you for your time,

John [REDACTED]
Latta, S.C.
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Governor Haley I hope you are listening to the voice of South Carolina and watching the online polls about your proposal to remove the Confederate flag at the Capitol building. This is such a shame to see a few people are dictating change. This flag is part of our heritage. What if someone is offended by Arlington Cemetery? Would we move it too? It is impossible to please everyone just because of one event occurs. It doesn't mean we need to move to drastic measures like this. The public needs to be educated on what the flag actually stands for. They are thinking it is meant to represent something bad and evil, but it's not. Please listen to the citizens of South Carolina who elected you into office.

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My deepest condolences for the members of the church in Charleston as that event was so tragic, but my disappointment is directed at you for the removal of a piece of history because of some person that chose his evil actions. That boy that chose to take life in regards to what he thought was morally just does not represent the rest of us from the south. I was impressed as I listened to you on Glenn Beck in the wake of this tragic event and thought how great it was of your handling of the situation, but then you go and remove the flag. It is evident that politics played a role in your decision indicating your lack of backbone. Those people in Charleston are incredibly strong and disciplined people that we all should learn from and respect, but for you to make such a decision is troubling and disappointing. Decisions like this make me further question the leadership of this once great country. And no, I'm not a bigot but I am from the south and proud of it. Southern heritage is so much more than what the liberal media depict it to be. Remember it was the Union that began the slave trade in America!!!

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I was born in Anderson, SC and lived in Seneca, SC until I was 18 years old. My BS degree is from Furman University - all things I can well be proud of to this day. However, having the confederate battle flag STILL waving on the State House grounds is an embarrassment to me and anyone who is from SC and engages someone from another state in an intelligent and considerate discussion regarding this issue. It has LONG outlived its usefulness, and, at this point, will only continue to instigate division among the population of SC. I could also mention that it is just one more reason why our state is disregarded when important national issues arise. It makes us look like we are ignorant people still holding some kind of grudge, as opposed to intelligent, thoughtful people who genuinely care about community and our population as a whole. (I use "our state" because I am from SC, and I would like to see the rest of the nation respect the state.) I am proud of the way the Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church has handled the shooting tragedy and that there is a movement toward unity. I think it is a time for unity, support and compassion. Not a time for a symbol that so many associate with hate.

Respectfully,

Kimberly [REDACTED]
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As one of your voters, I am asking you to fight to keep the Confederate Battle Flag on state grounds. That flag is part of my heritage as a Southerner, South Carolinian, and descendant of Confederate Patriots. A vote to take the flag down will let the race baiters win, and the flag is not about race. There were many black soldiers fighting for the South for their beliefs of their own volition. If we buckle to every demand of haters, where will this all end? The compromise was made, and both sides should abide by it. That flag located on the state grounds did not shoot anyone. That is not the only Confederate flag that exists, and hiding it will not stop

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The Martin side of my family came for South Carolina and my dad's are all southerners. I am mad as hell about the removal of the Confederate Flag for it is a symbol of freedom to worship the Lord Jesus Christ. To remove it means a rejection of Jesus Christ as the Savior who suffered on the cross for the sins of mankind and giving into evil.

It is also saying damn to us who served in the military to protect the freedom of Americans.

The flag as a issue is to give into Satanic doctrine of getting the issue of the real problem man's old sin nature and its production. "All have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" Romans 3:23.

The strife between men of all races is man sin nature: "For we ourselves also were sometimes foolish, disobedient, deceived, serving divers lusts and pleasures, living in malice and envy, hateful, and hating one another." Titus 3:3.

I hate what is going on as a result of the shooting. "Be angry and do not sin" Ephesians 4:26.

The fear of the LORD is to hate evil: pride, and arrogance, and the evil way, and the forward mouth, do I hate. Proverbs 8:13.

The governor is giving into this evil and as a result of giving into this evil she comes under the judgment of God because she is distracting other from the real issue the old sin nature and giving in to Satan's deception to the real issue.

God says the best we can do are "like one who is unclean, all our so-called righteous acts are like spent menstrual rag in your sight." Isaiah 64:6.

Tell her if she rejects Jesus Christ she will be spending eternity in total darkness, with crawling worms all over and maximum heat in the lake of fire.

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath [lake of fire] of God abideth on him. John 3:35

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved. Acts 16:31

thank you

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Gov. Haley. May God bless you and give you insight into how to deal with the terrible shooting incident that has focused the attention of the nation on your state. May I make a suggestion on how to remedy the situation. Please consider placing the cross of Jesus Christ above ALL the flags because Jesus is above ALL of us and loves All of us above All human comprehension. Thank you for your time and effort. God rest the souls of the killed and may God's love comfort you ALL. Respectfully submitted Dan [REDACTED]

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Governor,

You cannot make a statement about the shooting claiming ignorance for why things like this happen when you have the confederate flag hanging outside your office. Please take it down and actively pursue racial equality and being kind to one another.

A disappointed citizen,

Laura [REDACTED]
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We have enjoyed vacationing in SC, both in Charleston and Hilton Head. We have decided to boycott SC until the Confederate flag is removed from state property. While we understand that for some it is a matter of pride for us it represents racism and is repugnant. What individuals do is protected under the first amendment. What government does is a political decision. Our money votes for change and with the people of Mother Emanuel.
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Cc:
Subject: Displaying Confederate Flag

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Please support the initiative to remove the Confederate flag from the capitol grounds and display it properly in a Confederate museum. SC is no longer that Southern agricultural state. Rather it is a vigorous economic engine employing personnel of multi-national origin. Too us the flag represents a division, bigotry and hatred, please lower it so that we may heal the recent wounds caused by the assassination of AME members.

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 Subject: Guns have nothing to do with the church killing

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 <MSG>
 It has everything to do with the heart of the man being evil. If any of those people could of been carrying a gun there might of been nine people saved. Don't take the flag down either. Once again its the heart. Thank you
 Lonnie ██████████
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 Subject: confederate flag/mlk issyes

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 <SUBJECT>confederate flag/mlk issyes</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

I saw on the news that leftwingers are demanding the confederate flag be removed because a white man killed people in a church. I recommend that the removal of the confederate flag day and mlk day and the flag move to a neutral location be contained in a state bill for the house and senate to vote on as a one bill, and not to be pulled apart as leftwingers would be demanding. To vote the whole bill glued together as an up or down vote, so the pro-flag and pro mlk and the nonpro flag and nonmlk supporters have the same chance to get "justice for all" and a good clean airing of the ethic issues. I am a proud American and want the flag to stay if mlk stays. Let all have their voice/rights, or, if not, America is not really America. I hope the killer gets the death sentence and dies quickly, according to the law. You are a fine governor. john [REDACTED]

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Subject: The Conferate Flag

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<MSG>

Hello,
I am a proud southerner. I am white & a Christian. The confederate flag has nothing to do with me or my heritage. Please take the confederate flag down. That flag does not stand for what South Carolina is today. Yes, the flag is our history, but it's 2015 and in the wake of horrible shooting, it is no longer appropriate. We are a state that values togetherness and that flag divides us.

Many Thanks,
Melanie [REDACTED]
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 <ISSUE>JUDI</ISSUE>
 <SUBJECT>CONFEDERATE FLAG</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

I don't see the connection between the flag and what that idiot did to those people in that church. yes it was terrible what he did ,not the flag. The flag is part of history whether right or wrong that was the past and that was the way things were then. By removing the flag all those that died for the flag will now be disgraced and dishonored. You can not change history but you can effect the future. The flag is at the confederate monument where it belongs. PEOPLE NEED TO GET OVER WHAT HAPPENED IN THE PAST AND WORK ON MAKING THE FUTURE BETTER. Government needs to quit being so PC about everything that happens to appease a small minority of people. The flag did not walk in that church and kill those people but some crazy did and since he was white the flag needs to come down is ridiculous. QUIT BEING SUCH AN APEASER AND TAKE CARE OF MORE IMPORTANT THINGS ON THE AGENDA FOR YOUR STATE.

ALLAN [REDACTED]
 </MSG>

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 Subject: Confederate Battle Flag

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Dear Ms Haley:

I fail to see what the act comitted by Dylan Roof has to do with the Confederate battle flag on that monument. Many in the South including your state honor that flag and the men who fought and died under it. Liberals try to take down old symbols for the sole purpose of demonstrating their power over us. It is often said to be inevitable. I reject that entirely. The flag is a part of history, and is at a war memorial where it should be. It has already been removed from the dome to appease those who cannot be appeased. When they get rid of all Confederate symbols, they will attack American (U.S.) symbols and they will not be happy until the hammer and sickle, or worse, the flag of ISIS flies over America. Because that's what they are, Marxists to the core. Do the investigation. You will find that the biggest trouble makers are probably bussed in, paid for by billionaire trouble makers like George Soros, they all should be arrested for his subversive activities. These jerks should be stood up to, not appeased. Don't take down that flag.

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 Subject: Stopping Westboro from protesting the Funerals of Church victims

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 <SUBJECT>Stopping Westboro from protesting the Funerals of Church victims </SUBJECT>
 <MSG>
 Is there anything that can be done to ban this hate group from coming here to start trouble. They are uncalled for! Canada and the UK have them banned and designated them a hate group. At least stop them from being near the funerals.
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 Cc:
 Subject: Charleston Shooting

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 <ISSUE>GUNS</ISSUE>
 <SUBJECT>Charleston Shooting</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

Governor, you've been had.

Obama and the Feds have long been staging false flag operations in order to get America's guns. Once they do, they can run all over us. [<https://www.intellihub.com/false-flag-charleston-shooting-happened-during-federal-active-shooter-drill/>]

And as for black-white race relations, blacks all over America have long been engaged in what is called The Knockout Game, reported by Colin Flaherty. In it, they sucker punch a white passerby, often crippling or killing them. How convenient that none of you are reporting this.

As someone who has been repeatedly threatened and assaulted by blacks, without cause, I am deeply offended by your actions, which amount to cowardice.

When they assault you, it will be a different story.

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Very diappointed in today's press conference. You used this tragedy to bring up the flag The flag had nothing to do with the shooting in Charleston. We have already compromised once on this issue. What are you going to do next time ? Dig up and move all Confederate monuments? This was just another photo opt for your friends. GOOD THING THIS IS YOUR LAST TERM because I don't think you would win again. You have done a god job for SC but this could be your legacy
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 Cc:
 Subject: Confederate Monument and Flag Controversy

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I do not agree with your and several other elected officials calling for removal of the Confederate battle flag from the state house grounds. But for goodness sake, please move the monument and flag off the front door steps and into the cool trees off to the side where it should have gone 15 years ago. Dragging the flag issue into the shocking Charleston church murders is only going to cause more hard feelings and heated arguments. Do not let the murderous young killer trick us into getting his stated objective. Our churches have a cross displayed on them, and the racist KKK would burn it to frighten minorities--but their inappropriate use of the cross will never make us take it down. We are smart enough to know the difference. Best wishes through these hard times and hold your head up high; real South Carolinians have no reason to be ashamed.

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Date: 6/26/2015 7:04:07 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: Flag

Title: Dr

First Name: Douglas

Middle Initial:

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: Laton

State: CA

Zip: 93242

Phone: 559 [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@gmail.com

Affiliation: Other

Message:

MY OPINION:

YOU want to ban the CONFEDERATE BATTLE FLAG. So tell me would you feel the same if the CHURCH GUN MAN had been waving the STARS AN STRIPS.

SO now ANSWER THAT if you think you CAN. DARE YOU.

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Date: 6/27/2015 5:39:19 PM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Flag

Title: Mrs
First Name: D
Middle Initial:
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: williamston
State: SC
Zip: 29697
Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Political Advocate

Message:

Saw this on FB today...Please tell me this isn't true. This black mans boss told him to raise the flag right after horrific shooting and for a supremacist rally, should be FIRED.

<https://www.facebook.com/TooInformed?fref=nf>

How about health care for all SC citizens...bet the hospitals think it's a good idea also.

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 Subject: Confederate Flag Memorial

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I am sorry to hear you have jumped on the 'remove the flag' bandwagon. The terrible tragedy that occurred in the AME church in Charleston would have happened even if that young man had never seen a confederate flag. Has it ever occurred to you that anti-flag, anti-2nd amendment fanatics will do anything to promote their agenda? These people prey on the mentally ill and use them to bring adverse attention to whatever their twisted minds decide is the topic of the day. The more tragic the better.

The people of South Carolina and Charleston in particular have shown a strength and grace in this situation that won't be found outside of this state. We are intelligent enough to know that all the speeches condemning these senseless deaths are just pandering for votes. I thought you were above that.

You have lost my vote for office of any kind.

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 Cc:
 Subject: Charleston Tragedy

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 <MSG>

Dear Governor Haley:

I have no qualms about you taking down the confederate flag but I hate the decision to do it as a result of the terrible tragedy that happened at the AME church.

A young man's decision to kill innocent, decent, God loving people had absoluteley nothing to do with the confederate flag. His depravity had everything to do with his decision.

Choosing to make a grandiose gesture that now is the time to remove the confederate flag does nothing but give credence to race baiting marxists who take every opportunity to portray white people as the devil. The confederate flag had nothing to do with this situation and the instant desperation to remove it is ignorant. And I know it is not only you. Everyone has jumped on the band wagon. Let's remove the confederate flag and prove we are not racists. We don't have to prove it. I am not responsible for what people did 100 or more years ago. Had nothing to do with it. Have black people in my family and love it. But I refuse to have white guilt over something that one lone evil racist white boy did.

Stand up for your state. Stand for the people. Don't let the hucksters come in and make this about a nation of racists. We are not.

Thank you.

Linda [REDACTED]
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Subject: Thank you for your leadership in responding to the Charleston shooting

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Please pass this on to Governor Haley.
Honorable Nikki Haley,
Dear Governor Haley,

Many people in Colorado want to thank you for leading the effort to take down the Confederate flag from state buildings. We appreciate your courage and leadership in standing up to the long-standing affront to African American people as well as citizens from the North of all colors. We know that there are many caring and law abiding citizens of the South Carolina and other southern states, who want to say "NO" to racial prejudice, hate and intimidation, and we support your brave decision to end state continuation of the flag symbol which is seen as a sign of the white supremacy. We hope other states will follow your lead.

Yours truly,
Esther and Don [REDACTED]
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TO: The Honorable Nikki Haley
RE: The Confederate Flag

Wow, here we go again! Some of the U.S. Presidents were slave masters. Should we remove their pictures and statues from history books or from The U.S. State Capitol? Should we recognize U.S. Soldiers who fought in the Vietnam War? Should we return the land of this great nation to the Indians? Just as Germany and other countries cannot erase parts of their painful history so can't the United States. We cannot re-write history, but we can learn from our past. If we really want to prevent the next Civil War, it is imperative that we find a way to listen, talk, and work people from both sides of this racial debate and flag controversy.

This is a defining moment for the State of South Carolina. You cannot wipe out more than two hundred years of history overnight; yet, you must find a way to unite the people across the state. Hence, for South Carolina to move forward, a sincere effort must be made to listen and work with all people; otherwise, you will only create more tension and deepen the divide in the state and across the country. It is just as dangerous to misrepresent facts of racial injustice as it is ignore racist acts. Also, it will take more than 'moving the flag' to resolve the racial problems in this country, but discussing this flag controversy and the racial tension is a good way to start. After all memorial services are held, I suggest that the state appoint a commission to meet with representatives across the state from both sides of the Flag Controversy for their opinions and recommendations. Then ALL the people in South Carolina or their representatives should vote on this matter. Whatever happens, its the People of South Carolina who should make the FINAL decision and find a way to move forward.

In 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King stated "Now is the time to make real the promises of Democracy. . . that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights." Racism, however, is like a cancer that is eating America alive. But, EVERY African American is not a thug or criminal and

EVERY White Person is not a bigot or racist. Albeit, Racism, Ethnocentricism, Stereotyping, Revenge, and Hatred are all dangerous and unproductive, regardless if the person is African American, Asian Hispanic, White, Black or White.

For many reasons, I do find the Confederate Flag flying on the TOP of the State Capitol to be very offensive. Nevertheless, we cannot and should not try rewrite any parts of our nation's history. So I can understand why some people would want the confederate flag displayed at the state capitol. Likewise, I can also understand those who are deeply offended by the sight of the Confederate Flag. We should be using this opportunity to educate our children and grandchildren; otherwise, like Dylan Roof, they will only hear one side of the story. Hence, it is the responsibility of our leaders to accurately tell both sides of this story, not run from it. So, instead of hiding our past, we should use our history to become stronger and better people. Instead of hiding our past, let's stand up and face the problem.

For South Carolina and America to move forward, both sides must be willing to consider the other's view, give a little, and make some sacrifices. The challenge for all of us will be to reject revenge, aggression, and retaliation. However, if we are truly sincere about forgiving people, we must do this.

The South Lost the Civil War. So I definitely think the Confederate Flag should not be displayed on top of the State Capitol, but I can see the flag displayed in some area on the state capitol ground or somewhere near the state capitol.

Finally, Dr. Martin Luther King was about justice and reconciliation, not revenge and retaliation. He often reminded us that we must move beyond the hate and anger if we are to move forward; that we must not drink from cup of bitterness; that in our struggle for our rightful place, we must not be guilty of wrongful deeds. How we deal with this crucial issues will determine our moral health as individuals, our political health as a nation, and our prestige as leaders of the free world.

Peace Across America And The World

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Your Honor,

Please reconsider this issue of removing the Confederate flag. The shooting in your state was not because the Confederate flag is flying on state property. The person who did the shooting would have done it whether or not the flag was there. You cannot predict evil. The real issue is not the Confederate flag or gun control it is mental illness and evil. I am for states rights so if the people of South Carolina want it removed then it should be removed. But it should not be removed for political gain or pressure from race mongers.

Please do not do anything in haste. Let the people decide.

Thank you.

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The flag had nothing to do with the incident in the church. Now you are making an issue of the flag (this is a political protest, and the people of our state has no representation with historic rights of voting).

The flag of the state of South Carolina has existed in some form since 1775, being based on one of the first Revolutionary War flags

This flag was flown in the defense of a new fortress on Sullivan's Island, when Moultrie faced off against a British fleet that hadn't lost a battle in a century.

In the 16-hour battle on June 28, 1776, the flag was shot down, but Sergeant William Jasper ran out into the open, raising it and rallying the troops until it could be mounted again. This gesture was so heroic, saving Charleston, South Carolina, from conquest for four years, that the flag came to be the symbol of the Revolution, and liberty, in the state and the new nation.

Soon popularly known as either the Liberty Flag or Moultrie Flag, it became the standard of the South Carolinian militia, and was presented in Charleston, by Major General Nathanael Greene, when that city was liberated at the end of the war. Greene described it as having been the first American flag to fly over the South.

The palmetto was added in 1861, also a reference to Moultrie's defense of Sullivan's Island; the fortress he'd constructed had survived largely because the palmettos, laid over sand walls, were able to withstand British cannons.

According to Confederate Army Regulations infantry units were to carry only one flag, or color. In practice many units appear to have carried both a National or Battle Flag and a State flag. The Palmetto Sharpshooters along with their Battle Flag carried the State Flag.

In 1765 opponents of the 'Stamp Act' marched in protest behind a blue flag bearing three white crescents. In 1775 Colonel William Moultrie was asked by the 'Revolutionary Council of Safety' to design a flag for the South Carolina troops. Moultrie's design had a blue field and bore a crescent or new moon. This matched the blue of the troops uniforms and the silver crescent emblem on their hats. Although there are other interpretations of the crescent one is that it represents the ornamental plate worn on a chain by officers of the time.

On 20 December 1860 with the secession of South Carolina from the Union a National flag was needed. After considering many designs the decision was to keep Moultrie's flag but to add a Palmetto tree. The addition of the tree was to signify the defense of the palmetto log fort on Sullivan's Island, 28 June 1776, just six days prior to the signing of the Declaration of Independence. The cannon balls of the British warships having little effect on the logs. (A proposition in 1899 to change the field to 'royal purple' to commemorate the Confederate dead was defeated). This flag became the National flag of the Republic of South Carolina.

A resolution in 1899 to change the field from blue to royal purple to commemorate the Confederate dead was defeated.

Flags depicting palmetto trees are mentioned in the South Carolina Militia Act of 1839, although these sometimes had red fields and not blue. Also in the mid 1840's the Palmetto Regiment, from the Mexican War, carried flags of this type.

A South Carolina statute states that any person who mutilates, injures or desecrates the flag, wherever displayed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. They will be punished by a fine of \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days or both

The South Carolina State Flag

Dating back to 1765, the South Carolina State Flag reminds us of its role in the American Revolution and maintains its place in the annals of the Civil War with a design that was formulated as a National banner when the state seceded from the union on December 20, 1860.

Components of the current state flag were first seen in 1765, on a banner carried by South Carolina protesters of the Stamp Act. The banner that the protesters hoisted displayed three white crescents on a blue background. Ten years later in 1775, Colonel William Moultrie was asked by the South Carolina Revolutionary Council of Safety to design a banner for the use of South Carolina troops. Colonel Moultrie chose a simple and direct design that displayed a crescent on a blue field. The new flag was the same blue color of the soldier's uniforms and the crescent echoed the symbol that the soldiers wore on the front of their caps.

Almost 100 years later, South Carolina seceded from the Union it had fought to create. A new banner was needed to fly above the newly created nation. Many designs were reviewed but the General Assembly settled on one simple change to Moultrie's Revolutionary War design. A Palmetto tree was added and centered on the blue field. The Palmetto, the South Carolina State Tree, had been attributed as instrumental in Colonel Moultrie's defense of Sullivan's Island against an attack by British warships in June, 1776. Cannonballs fired at the fort from the British ships could not destroy the walls of the fort which were built of Palmetto logs. Instead, the cannonballs simply sank into the soft, tough Palmetto wood.

The flag that flies over the state of South Carolina today is of the same design that flew over the independent

South Carolina during the Civil War.

The following information was excerpted from the South Carolina Code of Laws, Titles 1, 4, 10, and 59.

TITLE 1. ADMINISTRATION OF THE GOVERNMENT

CHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 9. STATE EMBLEMS, PLEDGE TO STATE FLAG, OFFICIAL OBSERVANCES

SECTION 1-1-670. Official pledge to State flag.

The pledge to the flag of South Carolina shall be as follows:

"I salute the flag of South Carolina and pledge to the Palmetto State love, loyalty and faith."

TITLE 1. ADMINISTRATION OF THE GOVERNMENT

CHAPTER 10. REMOVAL AND PLACEMENT OF CONFEDERATE FLAG

SECTION 1-10-10. Flags authorized to be flown atop State House dome, in chambers of Senate and House of Representatives and on grounds of Capitol Complex; members' offices as "chambers"; private individual wearing, carrying or displaying flag on capitol grounds.

(A) As of 12:00 noon on the effective date of this act, and permanently thereafter, the only flags authorized to be flown atop the dome of the State House, in the chambers of the Senate and House of Representatives, and on the grounds of the Capitol Complex shall be as authorized in this section.

The flags authorized to be flown atop the dome of the State House and in the chambers of the Senate and House of Representatives are the United States Flag and the South Carolina State Flag. As of 12:00 noon on the effective date of this act, the flag authorized to be flown at a designated location on the grounds of the Capitol Complex is the South Carolina Infantry Battle Flag of the Confederate States of America [the Battle Flag of the Army of Northern Virginia (General Robert E. Lee's Army) the South Carolina, Georgia, Florida Department version]. This flag must be flown on a flagpole located at a point on the south side of the Confederate Soldier Monument, centered on the monument, ten feet from the base of the monument at a height of thirty feet. The flagpole on which the flag is flown and the area adjacent to the monument and flagpole must be illuminated at night and an appropriate decorative iron fence must be erected around the flagpole.

The South Carolina Infantry Battle Flag of the Confederate States of America is square measuring fifty-two inches on each side, inclusive of the white border, with a St. Andrews Cross of blue, edged with white, with thirteen equal five-pointed stars, upon a red field, with the whole banner bordered in white. The blue arms of the cross are 7.5 inches wide and the white border around the flag proper is 1.5 inches wide. The stars are five-pointed, inscribed within a circle six inches in diameter, and are uniform in size.

From any funds appropriated to the Budget and Control Board, the Division of General Services of the Budget and Control Board, or its successor in interest, shall ensure that the flags authorized above shall be placed at all times as directed in this section and shall replace the flags at appropriate intervals as may be necessary due to wear.

(B) The provisions of this section may only be amended or repealed upon passage of an act which has received a two-thirds vote on the third reading of the bill in each branch of the General Assembly.

(C) The term "chambers" of the House or Senate for the purposes of this section does not include individual members' offices. The provisions of this section do not prohibit a private individual on the capitol complex grounds from wearing as a part of his clothing or carrying or displaying any type of flag including a Confederate Flag.

SECTION 1-10-20. Confederate Flags from above rostrums of Senate and House of Representatives chambers to be placed and displayed in State Museum.

The actual Confederate Flags (Naval Jack) removed from above the rostrum in the chambers of the House of Representatives and the Senate must be placed and permanently displayed in a suitable location in the State Museum.

SECTION 1-10-30. Confederate Flag from dome to be placed and displayed in State Museum.

The actual Confederate Flag (Naval Jack) which is flying on the effective date of this act and which is removed from the dome of the State House must be placed and permanently displayed in a suitable location in the State Museum.

TITLE 4. COUNTIES

CHAPTER 17. BUILDINGS AND LANDS GENERALLY

SECTION 4-17-40. State flag shall be displayed on courthouse.

The State flag shall be displayed daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon every courthouse. The officer in charge of each courthouse shall purchase a suitable flag and cause it to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds provided for maintenance of the courthouse.

TITLE 10. PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY

CHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 10-1-160. Display of certain flags.

(A) The United States flag and the State flag shall be flown daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon the State House, and shall be displayed above the rostrum in the chambers of the House of Representatives and the Senate and in the first floor north foyer of the State House. No other flag shall be displayed in these locations or atop the dome or roof, or within the foyers or common or public areas within the capitol building. The State Budget and Control Board shall purchase suitable flags for display at the State House locations and cause them to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds appropriated to it.

(B) The provisions of this section may only be amended or repealed upon passage of an act which has received a two-thirds vote on the third reading of the bill in each branch of the General Assembly.

(C) The term "chambers" of the House or Senate for purposes of this section does not include individual members' offices. The provisions of this section do not prohibit a private individual on the capitol complex grounds from wearing as a part of his clothing or carrying or displaying any type of flag including a Confederate Flag.

TITLE 59. EDUCATION

CHAPTER 101. COLLEGES AND INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING GENERALLY

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 59-101-100. Display of United States and State flags.

The State Superintendent of Education shall make such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with the National Flag Code, for the display of the flag of the United States of America and the display of the State flag on the grounds of educational institutions supported, in whole or in part, by funds derived from this State. The person at the head of any educational institution in the State shall display the flag of the United States of America and the State flag on the grounds of educational institutions supported, in whole or in part, by funds derived from this State. The person at the head of any educational institution in the State shall display the flag of the United States of America and the State flag at such times and at such places and under such restrictions and rules as he may be directed to observe by the State Superintendent of Education.

SECTION 59-101-110. Display of State flag on buildings of State University and State colleges.

The State flag shall be displayed daily, except in rainy weather, from a staff upon one building of the University of South Carolina and of each State college. The officer or officers in charge of such buildings shall purchase suitable flags and cause them to be displayed, the expense to be borne out of the funds provided for maintenance.

Ask the people of SC that shed their blood, gave their sons up for this flag. The flag has been flown for a decade. The hate groups want the flag down-HATE groups, isn't that racial? What else do these hate groups, NAACP, want of the people of SC? The flag of SC does not represent HATE, it is these groups above that HATE.

The flag is HISTORY for our state.

Other states have flags. You are not for our people of SC, but for the HATE groups, NAACP, and other people that hate the Civil War and the men who died for this State.

South Carolinians, such as Leland Summers, the head of the state's chapter of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, say the flag is about history and heritage, not hate.

"Do not associate the cowardly actions of a racist to our Confederate Banner," Summers said in a statement. "There is absolutely no link between The Charleston Massacre and The Confederate Memorial Banner. Don't try to create one."

The battle over the flag flared again nearly four decades later. In 2000, following a lengthy fight between the state and the NAACP, lawmakers reached a compromise to move the flag from the Capitol dome to a monument for Confederate soldiers on the statehouse grounds, and to replace the large flag with a smaller battle standard.

I pray you won't get reelected .

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Thank you for your stance in favor of the taking down of the Rebel Flag. It was raised to show contempt for the civil rights changes of the 1960's and sends the wrong message to young people who are looking for a cause, as young people do. Acts of violence such as the one which occurred in Charleston last week, must be characterized as acts of cowardice, not of bravery. Choosing so called "soft targets" is a clear statement that many of our youngsters do not understand the concept we learned as children, "Pick on somebody your own size!" We have to help them to see their behavior in that light. Mass shootings of unarmed, unsuspecting persons are acts of cowardice. When it is done to put fear into a larger audience, that is terrorism and should be called this.

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Removing the Confederate Flag is a mistake if done due to the Murders of Charleston. It is also known that he disgraced the US FLAG. Will it be the next to be removed? South Carolina has never been known as a WEAK state. I am proud to be from South Carolina. I am proud that we stand for what we believe in and try to learn from our mistakes. ALL of our history should be known we have NOTHING to hide. If people don't like the way we do things then WHY move here. We have laws and money being diverted from where it is needed to pay for things that have been decided it is just plain STUPID. A flag did not make him shoot those people. It did not make people in SC riot it made people in SC come together in prayer and help. The reason we responded that way is simple we are TAUGHT A LOVE FOR OUR FELLOW MAN... I am not sure what happened with the boy but the courts will decide not I.

Best Regards,
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Its a tragedy people lost lifes in a shooting but the flag is not to blame the confederate flag is extremely important on the history of america (Mississippi state flag shows the pride of the flag)however the major concern is methamphetamine its becoming a huge epidemic in south carolina its all over the state, South Carolina leads off the list of the top 10 states where police seized the most methamphetamine labs in 2014 with 397.now those are what was seized which means theres way more of meth activity going on not including what is being trafficed by cartels. So lets be worried about a flag from the 1800s, but allow methamphetamine to flood the citys and countys of south carolina to ruin citys towns and lifes.so lets just take a flag away a magicly everything will be better right?theres more important things to worry about like mrytle beach being ranked 11th most dangerous city in the state and closly behind is spartanburg ranked 21st most dangerous city in the us.
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I am strongly opposed to flagrant violations of church and state separation. This country was made great by its secular constitution. History teaches us throughout the ages horrific atrocities have been imposed by the church and religion. We do not need a theocracy. I'm painfully aware it is de rigeur to pray and display a belief in Jesus and prayer to garner a majority of votes here in South Carolina. However, I, like probably many sikhs, Jewish citizens, and numerous of other belief systems find the day of prayer in North Charleston offensive and frightening.

I do applaud your efforts in having the confederate flag removed from the Capitol building, however.

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We just had a church shooting that had nothing to do with the confer ate flag of sc

STATEMENT ON CHURCH SHOOTING IN GUATEMALA by Bishop Sam N. Clements, General Overseer, Church of God of Prophecy:

PRAYER REQUEST: A gunman entered our COGOP church in La Perez Guisasola in country Guatemala, opened fire, killing two people, and critically wounding several others. Bishop Ben Feliz, General Presbyter for country of Mexico, Central America and Spanish-speaking Caribbean, has asked for prayer for the families and the entire community. We will share more information as it is released.

We received the devastating news today that a gunman carried out a cowardly attack in a Church of God of Prophecy near Guatemala City last night. Although we are still waiting for additional information, we have heard that a young girl and young woman were killed while nine others were injured and are currently receiving medical treatment.

We want our Church family and the community to know that we stand with you, we love you, and we are praying for you. As the people of God under the empowering of the Holy Spirit, we come against these attacks of the enemy that are happening more frequently against our churches and all those of the Christian faith.

We in the International Offices, including Bishop Ben Feliz, General Presbyter for Central America, Mexico and the Spanish-speaking Caribbean, are calling for a prayer covering for our church members along with the larger

Christian community in Central America and across the world. We trust in the Word of God that tells us, "Do not fear," because "greater is He that is within us than he that is in the world" (1 John 4:4).

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What happened last week with one Man's rage at a historic Black Church in which he killed 9 people including it's pastor shows that we are all united together as one nation indivisible.

Governor Haley thank you for taking the lead in removing the Confederate flag from the State Capitol Building.

Governor Haley than you for joining the fight as well as discussing what the Confederate battle flag has meant to both sides.

The Confederate Battle Flag may be historic but it's also racist like the Swastika flag Adolf Hitler used at Nazi Party rallies in the 1920's & 1930's.

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Thank you for supporting the removal of the confederate flag. Please urge the Legislature and Senate to remove the flag BEFORE the funerals for the victims of the Emanuel shootings take place. This would be an amazing show of compassion and empathy.

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I am a Repulication and I voted to help put Haley in office. She has made decisions in the past that I have disagreed with but I have continued to support her. I will no longer do that because of her ridiculous stand on the flag. She has sold out and in doing so has taken the focus off of the victims of a hate felt man and placed them on a historic icon. No where does that stop the next shooting or act of violence. Address the the real problems our youth, mental illness, and the disenfranchised. Not to mention the complete lack of real leadership that runs this country; I will not vote for anyone regardless of their party that is in favor of destroying my countries history no matter what. The press will leave but my vote will remember this. Lisa [REDACTED]

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Dear Governor:

While I am a Connecticut resident I did wish to say how grateful I am for your leadership in this difficult matter of removing the Confederate flag from he State House. I do realize the pride many Southerners have in the bravery and loyalty their ancestors brought to a cause they believed right. While I do not in any way regard the slavery issue as right, I gather that for most Southerners of that era the "cause" was more one a matter of what they regarded as state's rights, rather than slavery itself. All too often, too many "Northerners" forget that for Union soldiers the "cause" they fought for was not the freeing of slaves (though for many it was), it was for the preservation of the Union,or the simple fact that they were drafted.

But in removing of the flag, being Governor of the very state where the war began, is a mark of leadership. I see no stain on your action, nor do I see any stain in most Southerners who feel that they retain a pride in the men and women who fought under that flag. Such pride is less a matter of advocating slavery as it is honoring the people who lived, died and fought under that flag.

But it is time that all be brought into true perspective. If anyone dishonored the flag is was the person who murdered innocent people who took him into their church. It was his actions and the actions of all those who caused untold suffering of a people because of race or religion and who bring dishonor to any Southerner of understand human decency and goodness and the religion many regard as theirs. I believe that any true southerner,any true American (Which is what we all are) can bring the same courage to today's needs of country that those who fought and died brought to what they believed was right in heir day. My best to you, John [REDACTED]

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What occurred in Charleston was a tragedy but the flag has nothing to do with it. The flag is a symbol of the south not being part of the union. There is nothing racist about it, the shooting in Charleston was a racist act. If the flag is removed then you are removing part of the south's history. People have freedom of expression and speech, they are going to do what they want when they want. There is nothing you can do about it. Leave it alone and let the south keep it's history where it belongs. What went on hundreds of years ago we can't do anything about, if you want to deny the south's history then you are denying everybody who has a right to see it.

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Have you ever thought about the symbols that generate negative feelings in others? This is something we must learn to tolerate to get along with others. That flag did not cause the sad occasion of a shooting in Charleston, it was caused by a person with sin in their heart. The NAACP generates negative feelings for me but that does not mean I get out and shoot and march, I use God's help to help me tolerate others and try to understand their feelings as I hope they understand mine. Thank you for allowing me to express my feelings and hopefully this will encourage you to leave the flag issue alone (we were promised 15 years ago that was the final place for the flag when the demand for action was honored) until emotions have time to calm and clear minds can make decisions.

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Dear Governor: Media reports are stating that it will take some time for the state legislature to approve removing the Confederate flag from the memorial at the capitol. Rev. Pinkney will lie in state at the capitol starting this Wednesday, and his funeral will be held Friday, as I am sure you understand. In addition, President Obama will give the eulogy.

It is an insult to those who were slaughtered at Emmanuel AME Church, their families, visiting dignataries, and all of those who seek peace and justice to allow the Confederate flag to remain in place during this time. Please have the flag removed before the ceremonies begin.

Thank you, Judy [REDACTED]
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I am a member of both of the groups I mentioned above. I think it is unjust to remove the Confederate flag from the Capital grounds. My ancestors fought in the Civil War and some of the lost their lives. I am very proud to be from South Carolina. I think it is awful that something I am so proud of has to be removed because a few black people don't like it. Can we also have anything about Martin Luther King and other Black leaders removed? What will be next our right to carry a Bible and go to church? When the Civil War was over a lot of the so called slaves asked my ancestors to let them come back to the plantations. Anyway if you read the history the Civil War was not about slaves but that the South was becoming prosperous and the North did not like it. History tells that the colored people were the ones who sold their own people into slavery.

Thanks for listening. Mary M [REDACTED]

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I wish to express my displeasure with the fact that in your speech yesterday that the Statehouse is the peoples house, and there are no winners or losers in this fight, you are so WRONG, today as I sit here watching Channel 5 News there is a side claiming victory. I want to know how is there no winners or losers. We the Other People of the Statehouse who have our Freedom to Express our Southern Heritage for our Ancestors who fought for what they thought was right and died for at that period in time is being trampled upon! The fact that you say I have the right to Fly that Battle flag on my Private Property does not change the fact that as you said yourself that the Statehouse is the peoples house, but still the flag has to come down. I have compassion for the 9 people who were murdered by the hands of a deranged lunatic as well as the family and friends. I was raised in a religious family my mother made sure we went to church. In closing, there are winners and losers, and the losers are not going to be happy! I am afraid this showing of VICTORY is not going to help the cause!

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I would just like to say thanks. Thank you for actually causing the race was dylann roof wanted. After the shooting in Charleston, my state came together. We rallied a cry of hope and togetherness, people had signs that said "You made us stronger!"

Then, you for some reason decide to racially split the state. What horrific timing you have. You know, I'm a Democrat and I would have voted for sheheen, but I didn't agree with him removing the confederate flag from the state house grounds. Do you know how many votes that got you?! And just to be able to say that you actually did something while here. You know, besides try to delay our health-care and turn down our stimulus checks. I think you are creating a racial gap, and that's just sad. I cannot wait to see you leave.

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