



## America is Quite a Country

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**Abstract** President Trump wants to make America great and the way he's thinking of doing it will fail. He certainly will not be able to build America to its potential because he and everyone else are not seeing the largest obstacle, one that is so pervasive it almost seems normal but when someone shouts that the emperor has no clothes and shows you the elephant sitting on the coffee table, it then becomes impossible to deny the existence of the truth. I'm going to tell you things that will stun you and will force you see the obvious to which you are currently blind . . . so be prepared. And woven within the story I'm going to tell you is the solution; and the close contact transmission of the disease. Its viral load is mainly due to SARS-Cov-2 present in the lower and upper respiratory tract, gingival crevicular fluid from circulating blood and the salivary glands itself where the virus attaches to the ACE-2 receptors. The nasopharyngeal and oropharyngeal swabs being used for testing cause discomfort to the patient and have a high chance of close contact transmission of the virus from the infected person to the health care individual. These swabs may cause bleeding in thrombocytopenic patients. As compared to this, salivary tests are non invasive, easy to perform, have a lesser chance of cross transmission and are more sensitive to the virus. This poster discusses the benefits and scope of using saliva as a diagnost



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